

Gates Swing Open To B. Y. P. U. Encampment

LIGHTNING STRIKES BALLOON KILLING EXPERTS

Chinese Bandits Demand Ransom For American

While Charting Air Currents Bolt Hits Big Bag

MONTICELLO, Ill., June 3.—Thrown from a great height when the balloon in which they were charting air currents was struck by lightning during a severe electrical storm, Dr. C. Lehey Meisinger, United States Weather Bureau expert, and Lieutenant James T. Neely, pilot, were killed about midnight. The bodies were found in a field today by a farmer. Meisinger's body was found nearly one mile from the spot where the balloon fell.

Thousands Tramp Through Streets At Shrine Meet

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 3.—The tramp, tramp, tramp of thousands of Shriners sounded through Kansas City's streets today as the Nobles, arrayed in the brilliant colors of a Joseph's coat, marched before admiring throngs.

Twenty thousand wearers of the festal robes of the Shrine, the most gorgeous pageant in a blaze of color, marching to the music of seventy-five bands, drum corps and bugle corps.

For hours, the streets over which the parade swept, presented an endless stream of brilliant color and tuneful music.

The rays of a bright sun were reflected from the gleaming band instruments and the ornamented uniforms.

Crowds gathered at points of vantage to watch the parade twelve hours before the signal for "forward march" was given to the proud Kinsmen Temple of Brooklyn which headed the procession. The temples, ranged in order of seniority. The Kinsmen Nobles fixed themselves up time by time by their own John Law and six mounted policemen of New York's finest escorted the parade.

In the position of honor rode Conrad V. Dykeman, Imperial Potentate from Brooklyn.

The day was cool enough to make marching pleasant and the early morning mists were soon rolled back by the sun.

Each temple vied with the other to see who could produce the largest drum. Anson of Springfield, Ill., rolled along a drum six feet high mounted on a two-foot carriage.

Then came McManis of Chicago with a 12-foot drum mounted on a carriage, followed by Ham of San Francisco with one fifteen-foot drum.

Other temples also showed great variety. India Temple of Oklahoma rolled in an eight-foot bull snake which coiled out fully in the sun. Bands played in great favor with the parade.

A city took a holiday for the day, with banks, stores and other places of business closed.

A series of grandstands accommodated for 100,000 were erected along the route. Over thousands sought places to witness the pageant on the sidewalks, side streets and hills.

The Shrine Temple patrol, band and drum corps arrived from Dallas two hours before the parade got under way and had plenty of time to fall into position in the pageant. The Dallas Nobles looked fresh and peppy, and put a lot of snap and vigor into their work.

MANY WRITE FROM AFAR FOR MEXIA MADE PRODUCT

Tevis Morrow has received letters from three distant states, ending in orders for the cloth used to clean cars and furniture, and which may be washed and still retain its qualities of service. The orders were the result of an article which appeared in the Mexia Daily News regarding this new industrial enterprise here.

Veil is Now Lifted in Hotel Death.



DOROTHY BROWN

Before he died of gunshot wounds in the Broadway Central Hotel, New York City, Samuel Brown, married, and the father of five children, accused the woman with whom he had registered of killing him. She denied the charge, asserting he shot himself. The girl gave the name of Dorothy Brown, but police asserted she was Dorothy Sautman, former Chicago showgirl, and daughter of a cap manufacturer in Toronto, Can.

Tax Reform Is Big Issue In Campaign of G. O. P.

By A. L. BRADFORD

(United Press Staff Correspondent) WASHINGTON, June 30.—President Coolidge has made further tax reform one of the big issues of the coming campaign.

Dissatisfied with the present measure which he approved only because of its "advantages as a temporary relief and a temporary adjustment of business conditions," the President will renew the fight for enactment of a "sound permanent tax policy."

1. Insertion of a Mellon tax plan plank in the Republican platform.
2. A vigorous campaign for popular endorsement of this stand.
3. A "big stick" attitude toward the December session of Congress if (Continued on Page 8)

New Irish Uprising Feared in Dublin.



LORD MAYOR O'NEILL

Lord Mayor O'Neill, of Dublin, ordered removed from office by President William Cosgrave, of the Irish Free State, on the grounds of inefficiency, has defied the authorities to supersede him. The municipal authorities of Dublin, all of whom are Republicans, back O'Neill, and it is feared another Irish uprising is in the making.

Peddy States Committee Is Fair To Both

HOUSTON, Texas, June 3.—George E. B. Peddy, home from Washington, feels sure that Earle B. Mayfield will not be permitted to keep his seat in the senate.

Peddy, who is contesting Mayfield for the place, has been a spectator at the Senate Committee hearing which is investigating charges that Mayfield was falsely elected, that he spent many times the amount permitted candidates under the Texas law, and that his election was unduly influenced by the Klan.

"I believe the committee is acting perfectly fairly towards both sides," Peddy stated. He also stated that he feels certain that the committee's report will go on the floor of the Senate for debate, but explained that he has no idea when this report will be made, since a voluminous record is yet to be compiled.

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Reunion Grounds Now Alive With Baptist Unionists

The gates swung open at the Reunion Grounds today for the big B. Y. P. U. encampment which will continue the remainder of the week, an epochal event in the life of the Baptist church of Limestone county and one that will likely be repeated hereafter each year.

Tents are available and many are camping for the week, while scores of others are expected to continue to arrive for the next several days. The houses also are occupied. With the reunion grounds looking the best and the weather now apparently favorable, the spot is ideal for camping and for the old fashioned gathering.

Members of all denominations are invited. The program promises to be one of the great interest and profit. Leading ministers of the denomination will appear from time to time.

Special Speakers

- Dr. Harold Majors, Dallas.
- Dr. R. G. Bowers, Waco.
- Dr. J. C. Hardy, Belton.
- M. M. Wolf, Houston.
- Ross A. Smith, Waco.
- S. D. Dollahite, Marlin.
- M. B. Hays, Hillsboro.
- Dr. L. R. Scarborough, Seminary Hill Texas.

Special Courses

- Junior B. Y. P. U. Courses.
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- Senior B. Y. P. U. Courses.
- W. M. U. Courses.
- Sunday School Courses.
- Special Sports.
- Baseball Games.
- Special Hours for Swimming for Women and Men, Separate.
- Tennis Games.
- Special Stunts.
- All Athletics Supervised by Trained Athletes.

Officials of the Uvalde Paving Company called attention this afternoon to the fact that the X-All highway is open all the way now from 7 o'clock in the evening until 8 o'clock in the morning and this end is not closed at any time.

"This makes it easy for people to attend the program and may be reached in a few minutes from town. The meeting tonight will on doubt attract one of the largest gatherings ever seen at the Reunion Grounds for a religious service."

TROOPS FAIL TO FIND COUPLE

MOUNTAIN LAKE, N. J., June 3. If Helen Cole, young sculptress who went into the New Jersey Woods to catch a rabbit with her bare hands and Charles Carter, who went with her, are alive and pursuing their back to nature adventure, no flickering camp fire betrayed their whereabouts last night.

State troopers and volunteers who have hunted the couple for 48-hours watched throughout the night from the water tower atop the highest hills in these parts without catching a glimpse of a fire.

The girl and her escort, who were at a house party here, disappeared Saturday night, shortly after a discussion as to whether a man and a woman could survive in the "wilds" with no equipment or tools other than their hands. They haven't been heard from since.

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Predict Dr. Fosdick Will Be Ousted.



DR. HARRY E. FOSDICK

The ousting of Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, Modernist leader, from his New York City pastorate and a complete rout of Modernists in the Presbyterian Church, was predicted in Grand Rapids, Mich., following the announcement that Dr. Charles E. Macartney, of Philadelphia, moderator-elect of the Presbyterian General Assembly, had named William Jennings Bryan as vice-moderator, and ultra-fundamentalist to chairmanships of all important church committees.

AIRPLANES LLOK FOR BOOTLEG SHIPS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 3.—Airplanes hovered over the outskirts of Kansas City today on the lookout for "bootleg" planes reported bringing stores of "wet goods" to the Shrine convention. A mop squad of 150 prohibition agents began an inter-city dry crusade.

FISH RESOLUTION DIED IN SENATE

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The Fish resolution appropriating \$10,000 to buy foodstuffs for German relief was defeated by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. A proposal to extend a government loan to Germany for relief was also defeated.

TEXAN SENTENCED TO DIE

LOS ANGELES, June 3.—A. F. Champion, formerly of Fort Worth, Texas, was sentenced to hang at noon August 15 for the murder of J. E. Goley during a gambling game two years ago.

COMMENCEMENT DRAWS MANY TO WESTMINSTER

Wednesday is commencement at Westminster College. At 10 o'clock in the morning the Commencement day services will begin, at which the degrees will be conferred on the class of graduates. Friends of the institution from all over Texas are here and at Tehuacana for the closing and to attend the various events of commencement time.

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One report said the American Minister to Albania had been asked to leave the country, his offense being that he had sought intervention by the League of Nations. The report did not say who had made the request. One of the first rumors in the wake of every Balkan uprising is concerned with a slight or insult to the American minister, the purpose of spreading the report being to enlist sympathy of the United States with the side opposite to that accused of the atrocity.

An example of the reports is the following: "Eight hundred fugitives arrived at Bari." The occasion for their being fugitives and whence they came is not mentioned.

There were persistent reports yesterday of fighting outside Scutari and it was said 32 government supporters and 13 insurgents were killed.

Another example of the rumors

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Missionary Held To Get Money And Munitions

LONDON, June 3.—Thousands of rifles, pistols, and ammunition, well as 20,000 pounds Sterling is ransom asked by Chinese bandits the release of Rex Ray, American missionary, and Carne, Britisher.

SOCIALISTS BEHIND HEROITT FOR PREMIER

PARIS, June 3.—The Social congress votes not to participate in the next cabinet, but to support Heriott as premier. The cision makes Heriott's ascension the premiership a certainty and M. lerand's resignation more than probability.

MONDELL TO BE G. O. P. CHAIRMAN

CLEVELAND, June 3.—F. Mondell, former republican leader of the House from Wyoming will be permanent chairman of a republican convention, is announced.

MINORITY REPORT FAVORS FORD FOR MUSCLE SHOALS

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The acceptance of the Ford offer for Muscle Shoals would be for the benefit of the public, while government operation would be a "colly adventure," the minority report submitted from the Senate Agricultural Committee, declared.

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STARTING RIGHT IS ESSENTIAL

A short while ago, there was much rejoicing in these United States when a Major and a Sergeant of the United States army found their way back to civilization, after having been lost in the bleak and barren region of ice-bound Alaska, their plane crashed and their chances for participation in the first flight around the world wasting slowly back to dust on the rugged ledge of an unknown and unnamed mountain. After their frightful experience, they recounted how for days and nights, unprotected but still undaunted as the boreal blasts of an almost unbearable clime beat upon their freezing and weakening bodies, they struggled to trek their way to some friendly shelter and finally back to the home of man. On several occasions, after plodding along for hours, they found that they had lost their way. They looked to their compass and slowly and painfully retraced their steps in the frozen snow back to the wreckage of their plane. In sight of their crushed hopes, they felt that they were not lost and realized the importance of starting out right, if they succeeded in reaching home. It some times becomes necessary to retrace steps, and start anew with renewed courage and zeal and make the very best of the means at hand.

Let's come back to our Chamber of Commerce for progress, and keep doing our very best, with confidence in our community and ever loyal to its best interests. Thus, Mexia will ultimately attain its goal, seen always by her men and women of vision.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

By PETER KEEGAN

The stock of Oscar Underwood of Alabama has risen somewhat since the Democrats have decided to hold their national convention in New York City. New York is "enemy territory" to the friends of William McAdoo, and the decision of the National Committee has resulted in a speeding up of their plans to get the nomination for the former Secretary of the Treasury. Bryan's "nomination" of a Florida college professor for the Presidency caused little more than a faint ripple on the political waters here.

It has become difficult for the President of the Senate to assemble enough of the members on the floor at one time to get a quorum for the transaction of business. Everyone is busily engaged in some kind of an investigation. Never before in history have so many things been subjected to senatorial scrutiny at the same time. It is estimated that these official inquiries will cost well over a million dollars.

No secret is made now of the fact that the United States is wholeheartedly on the side of Alvaro Obregon in his effort to put down the revolution that threatens to destroy his Government. Agents of the revolutionists are being jailed along the border on charges of violating the neutrality laws of the United States, while American arms and ammunition and American warships have been thrown into the balance against the rebels. The interest of this country in Mexico lies largely in the oil holdings of Americans in the Tampico regions, but deeper than that is the policy of the Coolidge Government to drown upon any revolutionary activities anywhere in this hemisphere.

The land of Tutankhamen has contributed the newest addition to the diplomatic corps in Washington. The Egyptian envoy and his staff, confronted with the Capital's chronic housing problem, are quartered temporarily in the suite of rooms which President Coolidge used before he took up his residence in the White House. The Egyptians are all Mohammedans and because there is no branch of that faith in the United States they had to bring their own priest with them from Cairo.

The jokesmiths of the country apparently have overlooked entirely the fact that Congressman Celler has introduced a bill to legalize beer and wine. And his first name is Emanuel, meaning, "the redeemer."

Local News

Mr. John Melton left Monday for Memphis to attend the Reunion of Confederate veterans which begins on the 4th. Instant and continues three days. He is expected a great session of the thinking line of veterans.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Landrum are on their vacation in Arkansas, spending the while with friends and relatives in Little Rock and other points in Arkansas.

Mrs. G. W. Hopson is spending this week and next in Houston, Sour Lake and other points in South Texas, where she will visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Mary Frances Johnson, daughter of Hon. Luther A. Johnson, Congressman from this district, of Corsicana is a visitor with relatives and friends in Mexia.

Mr. P. P. Chapman of Fairfield was in the city Monday having his eyes examined by a local eyesight specialist.

Miss Gertrude Martin of Chattanooga, Oklahoma, is the charming visitor of her sister Mrs. R. C. Pyatt of this city.

"Scotty" Ferguson is in the city today visiting friends, after an absence of several weeks.

R. J. Ellington has returned from Lubbock. He will spend the next several days here.

Mr. Alta Grimes of Groesbeck was in Mexia yesterday having his eyes seen after.

You get better stuff when you get it yourself. Our customers say so. Try it during June. Tidwell's.

CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS

By N. F. BOYD

WITHOUT COMMENT

Any Chump Can Knock
Don't criticize your neighbor's faults, no matter what they do;
Don't ridicule the masses, or malign the chosen few;
Don't think yourself a censor of the silly human flock—
And just remember as you go, that any chump can knock.
Don't laugh at those who make mistakes or stumble by the way;
For you are apt to follow them—and almost any day.
Don't think the other's shifting sand while you are solid rock—
And don't forget, for heaven's sake, that any chump can knock.
Don't be a puller-down of fame on other men conferred;
Don't give a parting kick to one who fell because he erred,
Don't think that you are perfect and the only one in stock—
And now, once more, just bear in mind that any chump can knock!
—Exchange.

And then there is Colonel Love. He knows when to buck the tide and when to turn and swim with it. He didn't want the convention to endorse Alvin M. Owsley for the Democratic nomination for vice president, but when he faced the inevitable and in fancy saw himself flattened out, he not only joined with the Owsley shouters but made the motion to endorse him himself. For political astuteness you will have to hand it Boss Love.—Denison Herald.

A certain element of Texas University ex-students led by Will Hogg on Houston, is making a considerable fuss over a trivial matter. Gov. Neff declined the presidency of the University when the post was offered him by the regents, and this matter should be allowed to close right there, but Will Hogg and others are determined that it shall not be so. When it comes to the election of a president of the University certainly the regents should be able to find a man in Texas who is big enough for the job, and they may yet select a man who is not so well qualified as Pat Neff or who will ever render the satisfactory service that Neff is capable of giving to the University.—Kosse Cyclone.

Forsooth, brothers, fellowship is heaven and the lack of fellowship is hell; fellowship is life and the lack of fellowship is death; and the deeds that ye do upon the earth, is for fellowship's sake that ye do them. Therefore I bid you not dwell in hell, but in heaven—upon earth, which is a part of heaven, and forsooth no foul part.—William Morris.

Somebody supposed to know has figured it out for us. Of the ten cents paid for a loaf of bread, on the average, six cents goes to the baker, one and four-one-hundredths goes to the retailer, nine-tenths of a cent is given to those who haul the wheat to the mill and the flour for the mill to the baker. The elevator gets not quite one-tenth of a cent and the miller slightly more than half a cent. Producers of the wheat, the yeast, the salt and other ingredients get a little less than one and a half cents. The bulk of this cent and a half goes to the wheat farmer.—Terrell Transcript.

In reference to the rumor of a settlement between Harry K. Thaw and his divorced wife, Evelyn Nesbit, whereby she is to receive ten dollars a day for the balance of her life, she asserts that such terms would be "ridiculous," declaring that would "not keep me in good perfume." But the public need not worry about this—it's only a family trouble.—Wills Point Chronicle.

Bill Edwards, of the Denton Record-Chronicle, is some lucky guy. He was lucky enough to get himself elected to the legislature and lucky enough to be the most popular candidate right now for the office of Lieutenant Governor of Texas and in addition to all these he was lucky enough last Thursday to sit in his easy chair and watch a bunch of beautiful C. I. A. girl students of journalism get out an issue of his paper. A magnificent job it was, too.—Mineral Wells Index.

Nicolas Murry Butler of Columbia University says that "men and women of religious faith, of moral principle and public spirit" must strike the eighteenth amendment from the constitution. Which goes to show that even a distinguished college president sometimes knows mighty little about what men and women of religious faith, moral principle and public spirit stand for. This is the class who put the amendment in the constitution and who will keep it there.—Donham Favorite.

A Full Stop.

He's stopping now beneath this stone. At diving cars he was clever; He failed to stop at a crossing. But here he'll stop forever.—Sam Miller in Mineral Wells Index.

NO FIXED RULE FOR AMOUNT INDIVIDUAL SHOULD SAVE

By S. W. STRAUS,
President American Society for Thrift

WHAT percentage of a man's income should he save? This is a question frequently asked, and a brief discussion of it might prove of interest to many who have given consideration to the matter.



S. W. STRAUS

Some time ago the United States Government Savings System issued a statement that a thrifty man should spend 60 per cent of his income for living expenses; 10 per cent for education; 10 per cent for giving; 10 per cent for recreation and save 20 per cent. The Treasury Department has stated that a family of three with \$2,000 income should save \$200; a family of four with \$3,000 income should save \$300; a family of four with \$4,000 income should save \$400; a family of four with \$5,000 income should save \$500; and a family of five with \$10,000 income should save \$2,400.

These figures were undoubtedly arrived at after a close study of the personal economies of many families and are meant to cover average conditions.

While it may be true that the average man in America should save 20 per cent of his personal income it does not follow by any means that a man who under certain circumstances only saves 10 per cent or even 5 per cent of his income is not just as thrifty as some other man who might save 60 per cent of his income.

There are rightful duties and obligations that must be met, and their fulfillment might preclude the saving of any considerable sum of money. On the other hand, a man might be so situated that even if he did lay aside 20 per cent of his income he would still be indulging in wasteful habits.

Thrift is a matter of morals as well as of money. It is self discipline; strength of character; efficiency; and a common-sense administration of one's affairs. Save systematically as much as you can consistent with your circumstances in life. Be economical, but not miserly. Eliminate all possible waste.

If one will endeavor honestly to adhere to these practices he will be able to save what is consistent and right and within the meaning of true thrift.

The public service utility companies are doing considerable improvement in the city. The telephone company is placing tall poles throughout the residential district, substituting them for the lower ones. Work is progressing on the new power line between Teague and Mexia.

In Durango City, Mexico, ice is made by pouring water into the shallow cupping surfaces of century plant leaves laid on the ground, where it freezes when the weather is not cold enough to freeze water placed in domestic utensils.

At the highest point reached by man, about six and one-half miles, the air pressure is less than a fourth of what it is on the earth's surface and the average temperature is 50 degrees below zero.

Serve yourself, no hurry, no worry, no bills at the end of the month, no errors. Tidwell's.

Meats we sell comply with all laws of sanitation, you should care for your health's sake. Tidwell's.

Too Late to Classify

FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms and bed room. 214 N. Canton street. 3L2

WANTED—You to let us supply all your photograph wants. Just better pictures. Kodak finishing done right. Richardson, N. McKinney street, ground floor. 3A30

WANTED—To trade on Mexia rental property, residence or lots two good trucks. Phone 580. 3F5

WANTED—To lease for one year six room residence on paved street. Phone 580. 305

FOR RENT—Desirable two furnished apartments, close in, modern, gas stove, sink in kitchen. Three blocks South City Hall, 305 East Hunt St., just off McKinney. 3L2

FOR RENT—Nice cool bed room, close in and convenient. 308 North McKinney. 3L7

FOR SALE—Horse and peddlers wagon fully equipped, very cheap. H. C. Finley, Commercial Hotel. 3J5

BARBER-GREGORY

Mr. Russell C. Barber of Corsicana and Miss Mattie Gregory of this city were quietly married at the First Baptist church Monday evening at seven o'clock. Rev. Joe Jeffers officiating.

Miss Belle Wright gave a beautiful violin solo assisted by Miss Anita Ledbetter at the piano. Mrs. Paul Harper played the pipe organ throughout the ceremony.

The bride is the charming daughter of R. B. Gregory of Petersburg, Texas and has been a resident of Mexia for the past two years where she has won many warm friends during her stay here as teacher in the public schools. The groom is General Superintendent of the Humble Company at Corsicana and has won the friendship and respect of all those with whom he has come in contact.

The happy couple motored to Waco.

Patterson's Column



YESTERDAY AT the National

THEATRE WHICH by the way

IS ONE of the finest show

HOUSES IN Texas playing the

SILENT DRAMA sat two ladies

WHO IT appears from their

CONVERSATION were terribly

BORED BY having to look at

A PICTURE of this writer

WHICH WAS flashed in a slide

ADVERTISEMENT upon the screen

THEY COMPLAINED bitterly that

EVERY WHERE they looked they

SAW PATTERSON'S photograph

and

READ PATTERSON'S advertise-

ments

AND ALL the while

THEIR CRITICISM was building

UP A sale for us as the

LADIES WHO told us about

THE MATTER bought a pair of

BEAUTIFUL STERLING candle

STICKS and a sterling vanity

CASE AND told us they were

UNDECIDED AS to where to buy

BEING VISITORS and unacquainted

BUT THAT they were strictly

FOR AGGRESSIVE advertising

AND AFTER hearing the

CONVERSATION OF the ladies

IN FRONT decided to buy at

OUR FINE store right here in

MEXIA WHERE most people find

THEIR WANTS at prices they want

TO PAY so talk ladies talk

IF YOU can't say something good

FOR GOODNESS' sake say

SOMETHING—and listen

IF YOU want to go where you

WILL NEVER see Patterson's

PICTURE OR read his ads

GO TO a dead town

YOU'LL NEVER see him there

I THANK you.

—PATTERSON.

DRY CLEANING

Done Scientifically

Summer is no respecter of persons or clothes. The air is full of dust and dirt—and that means spots—and Dry Cleaning.

When you have your clothes cleaned here in the scientific, no-odor method you're assured of excellent work.

Majestic Tailors
Phone 17

Come make your own selection from our large assortment of everything good to eat. Tidwell's.

Orders amounting to \$10 delivered free. Come down this first of the month and buy it by the case. All feeds delivered. Phone 52. Tidwell's.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO BATHERS



During the

B. Y. P. U. ENCAMPMENT

at the

REUNION GROUNDS

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NO MIXED BATHING

WILL BE PERMITTED, AND NO BATHING AT ALL WILL BE PERMITTED

SUNDAY, JUNE 8th

All other days Bath House will be open only during hours posted.

We ask that our patrons cooperate with us in carrying out this program since it is the wishes and doctrines of the Baptist Young People's Union, and we are advised it is quite necessary for the success of this encampment.

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MEXIA DAILY NEWS SPORT PAGE

Severn Shuts Out Temple in First Start of Season

TEMPLE, Texas, June 3.—Mack Severn, making his 1924 debut in a Marlin uniform, hurled the Bathers to a thrilling 1-to-0 victory here Monday afternoon. The Temple club out-hit the team from Marlin, but the visitors showed more merit in running bases. Lacy, batting for Clair in the 8th, smacked out a double, but was left on base. It was the only extra base hit of the game.

Marlin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Craig c f	1	0	0	0	0	0
Alexander 2 b	2	0	0	2	1	0
Mayhew 1 f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Greer 2 b c f	3	1	1	2	1	0
F. Pipkin 1 b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Munson r f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Rawlins s s	3	0	0	2	3	0
White 3 b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Covington c	3	0	0	1	1	3
Severn p	2	0	0	0	4	0

Total.....28 1 4 27 13 0

Temple—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wren r f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Pipkin s s	4	0	1	4	3	0
Brown 1 f	4	0	0	3	0	0
Lind 1 b	2	0	1	8	2	0
Leisner c f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Lance 3 b	3	0	1	0	1	0
McElwee 2 b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Hudspeth c	3	0	2	7	0	0
Clair p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Row p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lacy	1	0	1	0	0	0

Total.....30 0 6 27 9 0

Score by innings:

Marlin	000	001	000	—1
Temple	000	000	000	—0

Two-base hit: Lacy. Sacrifice hit: Craig. Stolen bases: White 2; F. Pipkin, Greer. Bases on balls: Severn 1; Clair 3. Struck out: Severn 10; Clair 7. Hit batsman: Greer, Lind. Double play: McElwee to Pipkin to Lind. Losing pitcher: Clair. Passed ball: Covington. Umpire: O'Hearne.

Wills Wins Big Victory in England

By HENRY L. FARRELL

(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, June 3.—Interesting competition, spectacular contests and record-breaking performances are quite certain to be numerous during the track and field, swimming, rowing and boxing event at the Olympic games, but none of them promise to arouse the international interest that will follow the probable meeting of Miss Suzanne Lenglen, world's tennis champion, and Miss Helen Wills, the 18-year-old American champion.

The idol of the American court and the proud boast of her country already has scored one tremendous victory in Europe. "Our Helen," outstepping the polite language of the game for adequate expression, knocked them dead when she arrived in England.

It had been predicted before the California girl sailed for her first trip across the Atlantic that her personal charm would win a place in the heart of the English, but no one realized that they would fall as madly in love with her as they did.

London newspapers remarked that it was not within memory when any foreign visitor so quickly and so completely captivated the affections of all who met her as did the charming American miss. American friends can picture the blush on the young champion's cheeks when she read that her pictures printed in England "did her beauty and personal charm a grave injury."

London newspapers always have been generous in paying tribute to the modesty and ability of their champion, but they have not gone so far as to tell her how good looking she is.

While the primary purpose of her journey to Europe was to do her best in the Wimbledon matches and the Olympic championships, it is none the less important that she scored such a complete personal triumph.

Col. Robert Thompson, president of the American Olympic Committee, said, during the early days of the organization of America's participation in the Paris games, that one of the principal purposes in entering a large number of teams was to sell the United States to the world.

He pointed out that the United States was being misunderstood in Europe since the war and that the athletes had a great chance to show on the field of sport that the United States did have some real ideals. He insisted that the American athletes should be gentlemen first and victors after, if possible.

JINX SAYS

Waco and Mexia are scheduled to meet again today.

The Mexia club certainly conferred a favor on the Waco club when the Gushers gave the Corsicana Oilers a double trouping Sunday, but perhaps they will do the Indians the same way.

Rough Dry

FARMERETTE WINE HORSE SHOW HONORS.



MISS PEGGY KEITH

Miss Peggy Keith, of Warrenton, Pa., adjudged America's best farmerette by the Department of Agriculture, has just won a blue ribbon and cup with her pony, "Radio," at the National Horse Show in Washington, D. C. Miss Keith, who is only sixteen, is shown here with her mount and her trophy.

FROM THE PEOPLE

Vacation Time Is Here

Our schools, colleges, and universities are closing for the summer, and your boys and my boys; your girls and my girls (if you have neither you are missing life's choicest blessings) are back under the parental roof and we rejoice in their home-coming.

If by proper application and commendable deportment they have wrought well and built nobly, we feel glad for whatever of sacrifice we have made as a contribution to the uplift and upbuilding of the young manhood and young womanhood of our country.

No parent who really appreciates his responsibility can afford to neglect the proper training and education of his offspring. But, my friends, are we not derelict in the discharge of parental duty in that we allow too much latitude to our "young hopefuls?" In this day of rapid-fire transportation, with automobiles here, there, and everywhere, are we not just a little more lax in the exercise of that care and caution concerning the perambulations of our boys and girls than were our parents in the days gone by? You can doubtless recall when, as a young man, you were permitted to take your best girl out for a drive on Sunday afternoon provided you returned "before night." And how desperately you made love to that sweet "tootsie wootsie," the things you said to her and the coyness she feigned. But you received a thrill that stayed with you until next Sunday came.

But not so now. The young motorist drives to your front gate, gives a honk or two, which meets immediate recognition, and without any formal salutation, says, "get in, kiddo, and let's take a spin." And off they go, and where? Well, we do not always know.

Now, my friends, it is not my purpose to bring an indictment against our boys and girls nor to intimate, or even insinuate, that they are worse, or perhaps so bad, as we were when we were boys and girls, but I am persuaded that present day environments are contributing very largely to distraction and disturbance of home life and this condition, I believe, should engross our earnest consideration.

Millionaire Bootlegger's Wife Under Arrest.



MRS. GEORGE REMUS

Mrs. George Remus, of Cincinnati, O., wife of the millionaire bootlegger who was taken from the Federal prison in Atlanta, Ga., to tell a Senatorial investigating committee in Washington that he spent \$3,000,000 for protection, \$300,000 of which went to the late Jesse Smith, intimate friend of ex-Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty, herself is under arrest in Cincinnati on a charge of violating the prohibition law. It is alleged she carried on her husband's work after he went to prison. Mrs. Remus occupies the most elaborate estate near Cincinnati.

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The home is the nucleus around which the entire fabric of our civilization must stand or fall. Destroy the fireside and nothing remains but confusion and chaos. Our boys and girls of today, God bless them, are to be the men and women of tomorrow and on their shoulders must fall the responsibility that is now ours.

Let's make them strong physically, alert mentally, and impregnable morally.

Cordially,

BERRY-BARNETT GRO. CO.

By A. H. Berry, President.

Largest assortment vegetables and fruits. Tidwell's.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Yesterday's Results.

Marlin 1, Temple 0.

Others rained out.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Waco	38	23	15	.605
Marlin	40	22	18	.550
Corsicana	35	19	16	.543
Mexia	38	18	20	.474
Temple	37	16	21	.432
Austin	36	14	22	.389

Where They Play Today.

Waco at Mexia.

Austin at Corsicana.

Marlin at Temple.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

San Antonio 8, Wichita Falls 3.

Houston 3, Shreveport 1.

Other games rain.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Fort Worth	43	29	14	.674
Dallas	43	27	16	.628
San Antonio	44	26	18	.591
Houston	46	25	21	.544
Beaumont	45	22	23	.489
Wichita Falls	43	21	22	.488
Galveston	43	15	28	.349
Shreveport	43	10	33	.233

Where They Play Today.

Galveston at Fort Worth.

Houston at Shreveport.

San Antonio at Wichita Falls.

Beaumont at Dallas.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Washington 8, Philadelphia 2.

Only one schedule.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
New York	36	22	14	.611
Boston	35	21	14	.600
Detroit	41	24	17	.585
Washington	37	18	19	.487
St. Louis	38	18	20	.474
Chicago	36	17	19	.472
Cleveland	36	14	22	.389
Philadelphia	37	14	23	.378

Where They Play Today.

Boston at St. Louis.

Philadelphia at Cleveland.

Washington at Detroit.

New York at Chicago.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Pittsburgh 6, St. Louis 2.

New York 9, Boston 6.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
New York	41	26	15	.634
Chicago	43	25	18	.578
Brooklyn	38	21	17	.553
Cincinnati	41	21	20	.512
Pittsburgh	41	20	21	.488
Boston	37	17	20	.459
St. Louis	41	18	23	.439
Philadelphia	36	11	25	.306

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at Philadelphia.

Cincinnati at Boston.

Only two games scheduled.

THESE SNAKES REAL

HENRYETTA, Okla.—Jack Hazelwood whistled gayly as he bumped along with a truck-load of pipe in the oil fields near here. Suddenly his whistle turned to a whoop and Jack left the truck to its fate as a man-sized rattlesnake crawled out of the end of the pipe between his feet. Investigation revealed four companions of the playful rattler, which had apparently been awakened from slumber by the jostling of the truck. All of the reptiles were over five feet long.

Increased capital will mean additions to the already well-assorted and up-to-date stock. New lines will be added and old ones revived.

To our new citizens the firm name will seem new, but to older ones, before the boom, it will be very familiar and convey to them solidity, progressiveness, stock unexcelled for completeness and courteous and intelligent service.

Old or new, we invite you to give us your business and make our store your headquarters.

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JOE JONES.

"Well, there's only two more—Wretha Merrill and Nona Ward. Nona is in Alaska selling Eskimo pie to the founders of that fruit, and

"Well, Darius, I guess that settles it for the present. Run along, son. I'll be there in a minute."

10-lb Cane Sugar 85c
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**You get more for
your money at Tidwell's
—try it during June.**

Prim Prest.

Since 1882—The Old Reliable

New Stars Show Up For Olympic

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, June 2.—"Our prospects could not be more pleasing. The athletes all over are surprising us. We're finding new stars that we hadn't expected and the veterans are doing more than expected." Lawson Robertson, head coach of the American Olympic team made this comment about the prospects for the United States team at Paris this summer after watching the intercollegiate championships and later hearing the results of the trial meets Saturday.

Walter Christie, coach of the champion California team of 1921, 1922 and 1923 and the head field coach of the Olympic team, said "All of the Western athletes have not been heard from. Wait till you see some of them in the finals."

Performances in the meet Saturday clinched places on the Olympic team for a number of athletes. Ivan Riley, of the Illinois Athletic Club, broke the world's record for the 400 meter hurdles. He made a mark of 52 1-10 seconds which is good enough to win any meet.

Wilson, of the University of Iowa, made a new world's record for 200 meters when he sprinted the distance in 21 1-10 seconds.

J. B. Chesney, Howard Payne University, equalled the record for 100 meters in 10 4-5 seconds.

Comins, star Yale sprinter and broad jumper, clinched a place on the team when he turned in 24 feet for the broad jump, and Owens, Pennsylvania, made a great performance in the pole vault.

Glenn Hartranft of Stanford; Bud Houser of California and Ralph Hills, Princeton, proved they were the best shotputters in the country and probable winners at Paris. Hartranft and Houser also showed fine form in the distance throw.

ELINOR GLYN'S MESSAGE ABOUT "THREE WEEKS"

By ELINOR GLYN

(Mrs. Glyn, who aided Director Alan Crossland in filming for Goldwyn Corporation her novel, "Three Weeks," the screen version of which comes to the National Theatre on Thursday for three days, has written the following message to the public.)

I do not think it is often that an author can say that his work has been correctly interpreted on the screen—and that is why it gives me so much pleasure to tell of the making of "Three Weeks"—which goes out all over the world just as I meant it to be, the story of a great love, not a sensual record of passion. Friends of the book will now have the opportunity of seeing it in pictures. And, if at first they do not recognize the opening scenes as belonging to the story, it is because they were only vaguely alluded to in one or two chapters, not actually described. But they were in my mind, and they show the home environment of "The Lady," the ugly life in the Palace that she was obliged to endure with the dissolute King, her husband in name only. And when that is established, we then get to Paul's home, Verdun Place, in peaceful England, on the eve of his departure for a trip abroad, to forget that humorous boyish calumny affair with Isabella, the Parson's worthy daughter! And from then onward, the picture moves exactly as the romance in the book moves—only condensed for the exigencies of the silver sheet—but the spirit is there—the spirit of tenderness, love and passion—and love's twin sister—sacrifice, and so to the final tableau, when the spirit has risen beyond earthly things, and brings rest and consolation. The Lady paid the price of breaking the law of man—with her life—but love's eternal flame burned on.

Every scene has been a joy to make. I wrote the scenario in England, and came to California six months ago to begin production. I wanted to get into it all the salient points of the book, and yet carry it along with that sustained interest, which is so necessary in a cinema. And with the able assistance of Mr. Carey Wilson, we made what I hope is a live-wire continuity together.

Then perfect types had to be found for the various parts. I never had a doubt about Aileen Pringle for "The Lady." She represents exactly what I want my Queen to mean—a person of dignity and refinement, with the passion of the play, and none of the vulgar camp elements which some mistaken people have put into the idea of the part.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Caldwell and I spent Sunday with old friends at Marlton. Mrs. Caldwell has just returned from Cleburne where she visited her relatives.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT

Send your name and address plainly written, together with 5 cents (and this reply to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, whooping coughs, and croupy throat; CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS for stomach troubles, in heart, gas, and constipation; CHAMBERLAIN'S SALVE, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: ADOLPH STERN & HENRY MORGENTHAU
Below: ANGELO M. ELLISON & ROYAL H. WEILER

The House of Representatives has confirmed the right of Royal H. Weiler, Democrat, of New York City, to a seat in Congress, which was contested by Martin C. Amers, Republican. Angelo Milton Ellison, Greek ex-slave boy, has filed suit in New York courts for the entire \$17,000,000 estate of his alleged foster father, Edward B. Searles, millionaire recluse of Methuen, Mass., which was inherited by Arthur T. Walker, Searles' secretary. Henry Morgenthau, millionaire New York philanthropist, has been officially thanked by the Greek Government for his relief work among Greek refugees from the Turks in Macedonia. Adolph Stern, of New York City, has been unanimously elected Grand Master of the Independent Order B'nai Abraham, in session at Saratoga, N. Y. The order has 560 lodges in America.

NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER?" and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing of a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission

shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:
"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter, and that the public interests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.

(Seal)
Approved:
Attest:

R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
Approved by Charter Commission:
I. W. Keys
David Murphy
Ben F. Stollenwerck
B. R. Howard
Carl Davis
J. I. Riddle
C. A. Chambers
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Tilley's figures reveal that the fire loss in Texas for the last four years has approximated \$18,000,000 a year while the appropriation for the public schools of the state has been only \$16,053,622.50 each year.

Other interesting statistics and figures in the office of the state fire marshal show that in the last three years 730 persons in Texas have been burned to death; that the average fire loss in the state each year for the last four years would build a highway from Texarkana to El Paso, and another from Amarillo to Galveston with enough money remaining to build a concrete road eighteen feet wide from Dallas to Austin.

Further statistics in Tilley's office reveal that there is a fire every minute somewhere in the United States; one dwelling house burns every four minutes; one farm house every seven minutes; four warehouses every day; five churches every day; five school houses every day; 15 hotels every day, and 40 humans lose their lives in fires each day.

IRENE RICH AND MONTE BLUE PLAY IN SAME PICTURE

"Lucretia Lombard", the screen adaptation of the novel of the same name by Kathleen Norris, is scheduled for a 3-day run at the National Theatre, with Monte Blue and Irene Rich heading a distinguished cast of players.

In book form, the story enjoyed enormous vogue, being hailed as one of the most striking novels of the past decade. It deals with a young and pretty woman tied down to an old unlovable carter of an old man, who is an invalid and needs constant care. As a result, the woman is deprived of all the joys and riches held by life, and feels poor slipping down the retrograde till she meets the man of her heart.

In casting the picture, Director Jack Conway and Producer Harry Rapt sifted and considered every star of note, to get true characterizations. Monte Blue and Irene Rich were the pick.

The picture brings out the wretchedness of a loveless marriage. Lucretia, still young and pretty, finds herself cheated, the wife of a confirmed invalid who bullies her. An extra stolen dose of opiate administered by himself ends the life of her husband—and she is free, but only to find herself embroiled in a triangle so hectic that her former difficulties seem as nothing.

How two women battle for the love of a man, and how fate steps in at the eleventh hour, staging a spectacular forest fire to settle the drama, is shown in this Warner Brothers Classic of the Screen.

It is said that no pains have been spared to make "Lucretia Lombard" as great a picture as it was a great book. Critics who have already viewed the picture say it is a triumph in every respect.

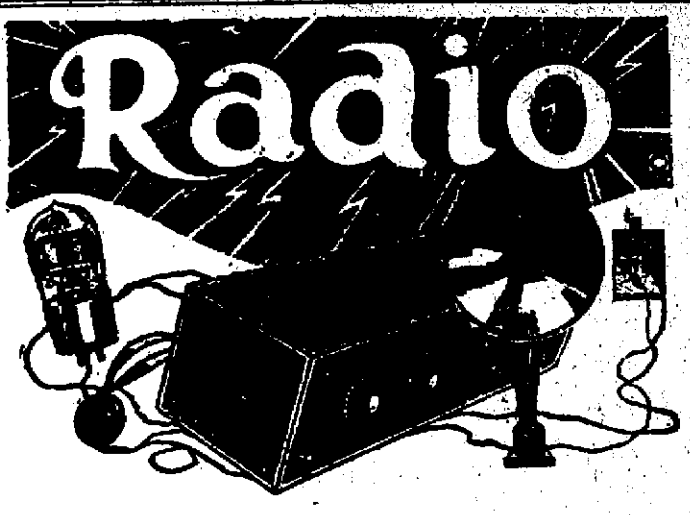
Monte Blue and Irene Rich will be remembered everywhere for their brilliant work in "Boys", the screen adaptation of Charles G. Norris, who is the husband of the author of "Lucretia Lombard."

Others in the cast are Marc McDermont, Alce E. Francis, John Roche, Lucy Beaumont, Otto Hoffman and Norma Schaefer.

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WMAQ, 8:15, Lyon and Healy concert.
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KFI, 9 to 9:30, Children's program.
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Probably no motion picture cast ever before was selected with so much care as that of "Three Weeks," the Goldwyn studios' film version of Elmer Glyn's famous love story, coming to the National Theatre Monday.

Mrs. Glyn herself came to the Goldwyn studios from London to assist in the filming of her novel, and collaborated with Alan Crosland, the director, in selecting the players.

First came the Queen—one of the most famous characters of modern fiction. She must be beautiful, dignified, mysterious, subtle, with a mixture of fierce Slavic passion, and the repression of a woman worn down by cruelty—but above all, a regal, commanding Queen.

Aileen Pringle, a little known screen actress then, was chosen for the role—not for any "commercial value" her name might carry—but because she was the living, breathing Queen as described by Mrs. Glyn in her novel.

Then "Paul"—tall, handsome, blond typically English—was to be chosen. The choice—Conrad Nagel, prominent screen leading man, selected not only because he fit the physical requirements of the role, but because he is recognized also as one of the outstanding actors of the screen.

The lesser members of the cast were chosen with equal care. All of the other characters of the story are European, and nearly all are Slavic. Mr. Crosland and Mrs. Glyn insisted that the players look their parts, and considered scores of actors, both great and unknown, for each role.

John Sampson, noted character actor, was signed as the dissolute, brutal Balkan king. Stuart Holmes and Robert Cain, both finished film players, were cast as "Petrovich" and "Verchoff," the king's unscrupulous aides.

Mitchell Lewis, Dale Fuller and Nigel de Brullier were selected to play the native servants of the Queen, and lend their ability to minor but very difficult roles.

Claire de Lorez, noted screen beauty was brought to Los Angeles from New York to play the part of Mitzi.

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H. Regan-Smith, for years a prominent stage actor of New York, was lured to the screen for the first time in "Three Weeks" and plays a relatively small part as Sir Charles, father of Paul.

Helen Dunbar plays Lady Henrietta, Paul's mother. Joan Standing will be seen as "Isabella," gawky English girl with whom Paul has a "puppy love" affair; Charles Green, as Thompson, Paul's valet, and William Haines, as the Curate, fill out the cast.

Alan Crosland, Jr., five-year-old son of the "Three Weeks" director, appears in one scene as the son of Paul and the Queen.

Hardly a day passes but that automobile accidents are not reported in Mexia. Sunday afternoon, two cars ran together at the intersection of Ross Avenue and Sumpter street, throwing a little boy out on the pavement and injuring his head. Fortunately it is understood that he was not seriously hurt and the damage was minor.

H. O. Tatum of Wortham was a business visitor to Mexia Monday.

B. A. Butler was a Groesbeck visitor Monday.

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HOUSTON, Texas, June 3.—There are bootleggers and then there are other bootleggers.

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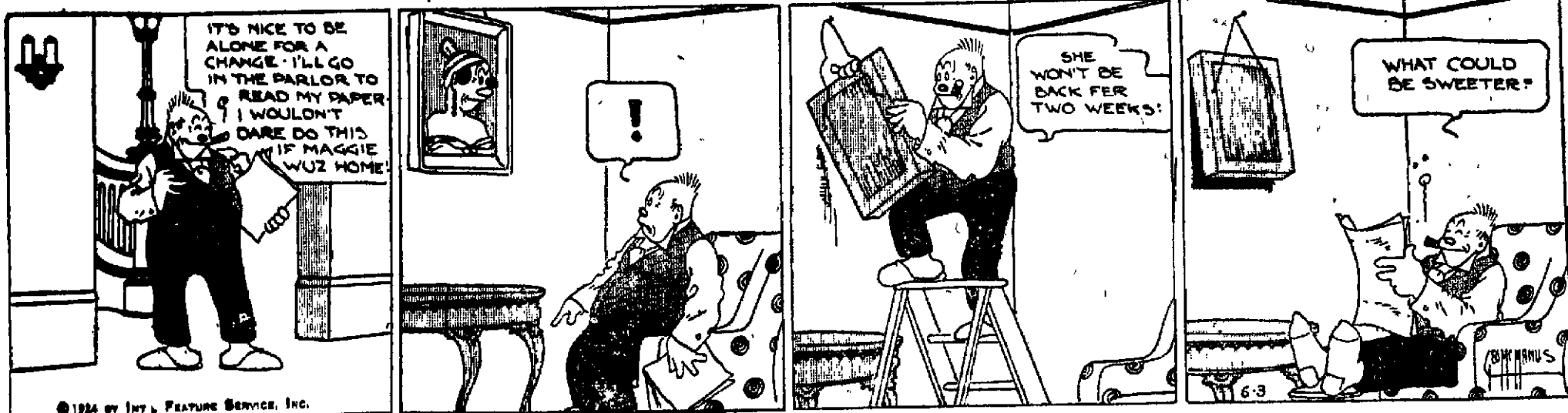
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For Governor—

FELIX G. ROBERTSON.

or Senator 13th District—

HARRY P. JORDAN

For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.

C. H. MACHEN

A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)

For Judge 87th Judicial District—

J. ROSS BELL

(Re-Election 2nd Term)

J. E. WOODS.

L. E. EUBANKS

For District Clerk—

M. A. AINSWORTH.

For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—

LUTHER A. JOHNSON

(Re-Election Sought)

For Representative Limestone County

W. P. ALEXANDER.

For County Judge—

H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD

B. W. MILES.

For County Clerk—

J. L. DAY, (re-election)

For County Tax Assessor—

TOM M. CAIN

R. W. (BOB) STEEN

A. A. HYDEN.

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W. A. ROBBINS, (re-election)

For County Treasurer—

H. C. FITZGERALD.

For Sheriff—

WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—

JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)

LUTHER COX.

For County Treasurer—

MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)

County Attorney—

SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)

For County School Superintendent—

J. J. BATES.

MRS. CORA FERGUSON

(Re-election.)

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 4—

S. H. FLAKE

CHARLES L. CLOVER.

O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4

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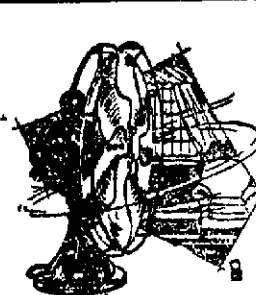
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Geo. E. Hughes Out for Representative

In offering as a candidate for the Legislature from Limestone county, I did so with a full realization of the responsibilities of that office. I realize that no more important office within the gift of the people exists than that of representative to the legislature and after giving the matter full consideration and sizing myself up, I felt that I was qualified to hold the position with credit to myself and my constituents.

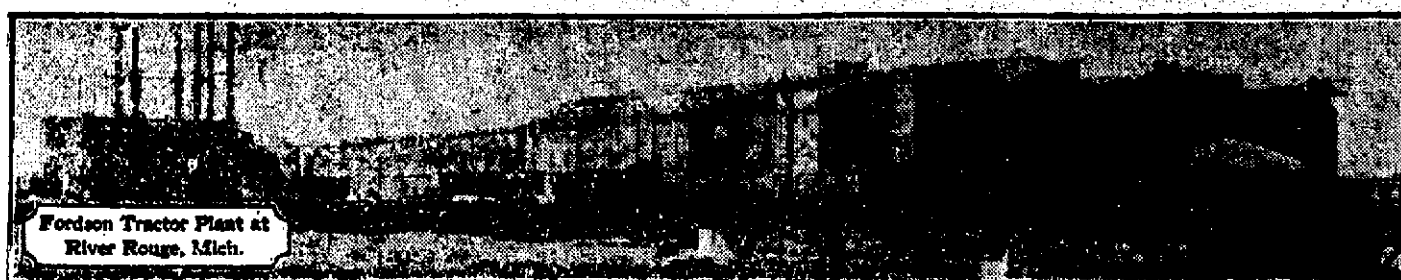
I came to Limestone county more than five years ago from Waco, Texas, where I had attended Baylor University for four years. I have for the past four years been engaged in the newspaper business in Groesbeck. I have never before asked election to a public office and would not now ask for election to the legislature except for the fact that I believe that in the next two years there will be an upheaval in the administration of governmental affairs in this State that will require level headed men with courage to fight for the rights of the people in the legislature. It matters not what your candidate for governor may promise to do, when it is sifted to the last analysis the levying of taxes and the appropriation of moneys is made by your legislature and the men who are elected to that position should be men who will have an eye to the public welfare.

I believe that by a strict economy in office the tax burden can be lightened, but it will be impossible to reduce taxes if new things to spend money for are created by each session of the legislature. Government is the biggest business in this country, and I believe that if the rules of business are applied to governmental affairs that a waste of public money will be prevented. I do not favor a reduction of taxes that would impair the efficiency of our public school system, for the public schools are already under financed.

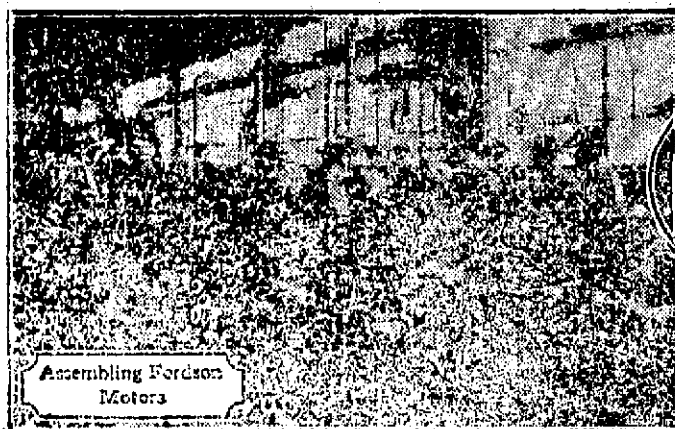
I believe in the strict enforcement of all laws. Disregard for one law breeds contempt for all laws and there is too much of a tendency to high up on the enforcement of a law for which the people have no respect. Rather would I, for the benefit of law in general, see a law repealed than to allow it to remain on the statute books to be despised by the people, unenforced by the officers, and an avenue through which other laws are not respected.

The pay of a representative to the legislature is such that a candidate can ill afford to spend the money necessary to make a thorough campaign for the office, and my business affairs demand my closest attention so that it will be impossible for me to make a canvass of the county in order to meet the voters, however well I should like to make such a canvass that I might become better acquainted with the people of the county. There are three candidates in the race for this office. There are no issues between us, we are all three democrats and there is probably no question vital to the best interest of the people of Texas and Limestone county or essential to the making of a good representative to the legislature that we could not agree upon. If you feel that one of my opponents could best serve you as representative, I am frank to tell you that I think you would be doing yourself and your State and county no injustice if you did not vote for him. But if you have confidence in my ability and believe that I can serve you to the best advantage in the legislature I will appreciate your vote and influence. I am sure that you

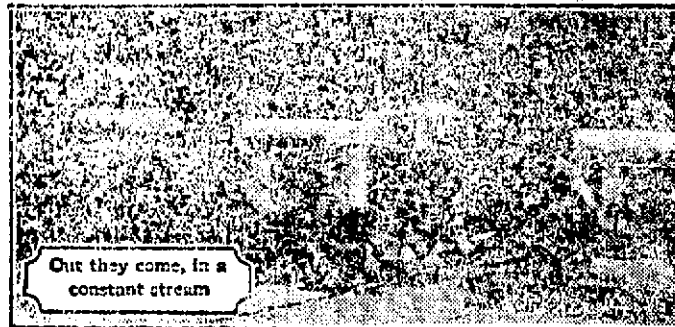
Busy Scenes in Great Fordson Plant Where 400 Tractors Are Built Daily



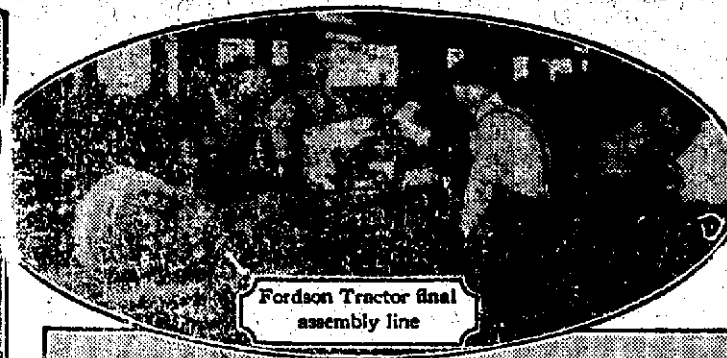
Fordson Tractor Plant at River Rouge, Mich.



Assembling Fordson Motors



Out they come, in a constant stream



Fordson Tractor final assembly line



Loading Fordsons for shipment

All Along Assembly Lines, Parts, Coming in Endless Procession, Quickly Swarm Together into Completed Power Plants

Along this assembly line you begin to realize the magnitude and efficiency of the Ford manufacturing methods as the numerous parts are put together, each coming to its proper station along the way at just the exact moment it is needed.

First is the steam bath. Motor blocks, cylinder heads, crankshafts, fly wheels, rear axle housings and many other parts must pass through this bath before they go on for assembly. Under the flow of boiling water with its mixture of soda, every particle of grease and other foreign matter is removed and the parts come out thoroughly cleaned and without danger of any rusting.

Quickly Take Shape Sent along on a great conveyor, lined on either side by busy workmen, the Fordson motors quickly take shape, part after part being attached as the motor slowly moves down between the working forces. And on the way tests are made so that when the completed motor reaches the numbering station it is ready for installation.

At the end of the line the motor is picked up by an overhead lift and passed on to the final assembly line, where before the astonished eyes of the visitor the tractor is built in an amazingly short time.

First, the rear axle is attached, then the front axle, steering wheel, seat,

requirements, the Fordson Tractor is enjoying the greatest popularity in its history. With the manufacture of the various component parts of the Fordson, brought up to the highest possible development, under the most exacting standards, the assembly of the tractor comes with automatic precision.

From the casting of the cylinders in the River Rouge foundry, the largest foundry in the world, everything all through the manufacturing process moves in endless procession until the completed Fordson emerges ready to take its place as the field of the modern farmer or out in the industrial world where new things are in the making and where power demands are as varied as the industries themselves.

Assembly on Big Scale Into the great shops, equipped with scores of modern machines, come the cylinders from the foundry and the other parts from the drop forge and heat-treating mills, all to be accurately machined. As the work progresses and these parts are completed, they move on to the assembly division.

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From lines of hose dropping from overhead pipes you notice workmen supplying water, oil, gasoline and kerosene. As the tractor nears the end of the line a driver mounts the seat, an ingenious electrically driven cranking machine cranks the motor, there are a few chugs and off it goes under its own power and then on up another line. Here scores of painters are ready to receive it and the final coat of paint is applied as it moves along the conveyor.

Another crank, a few more chugs, and the driver takes his tractor off the line for the final tests and then on out to the loading docks where it is sent on its way to bring greater efficiency and economy in the operation of agricultural and industrial pursuits.

All Fordson Tractors are made and assembled at the River Rouge plant under the constant supervision and inspection of the Ford Motor Company's tractor inspectors. The quantity production and high standards of manufacture enables the company to deliver the Fordson Tractor to the purchaser at an exceptionally low price and at the same time assures him of the greatest of service facilities through an organization of more than 9,000 dealers.

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SUPER-INTELLECTUALS BREAK DOWN WHEN THEY TRAMP THRU GLOOMY PASSAGE LEADING TO COUNTY JAIL

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car on the night I was kidnaped. It was Leopold who held that other landage over my face.
"Do you think I could forget the face of the men who have taken so much out of my life?"

With Ream's identification of Leopold and Loeb as his attackers, authorities announced they would investigate every recent unexplained crime on Chicago's police records, in the belief that the millionaire college students may have been connected with them. Several murder, mysteries, gland operations and high banditry will be investigated.

"There is no telling where our investigations will lead us," Crowe said. "These boys, if they were capable of kidnaping an innocent school boy and murdering him, may be guilty of many other crimes."

Crowe indicated that the two "brilliant college students," possessed with the belief that they were "too smart to be found out," may have started on a prolonged adventure in crime to satisfy their ego. He said it was entirely possible that they may have started in minor offenses, going step by step to greater crime, climaxing in the murder of Robert Franks, which finally led to their downfall.

Young Leopold and Loeb were taken last night through the long, gloomy tunnel that leads from the criminal court to the county jail.

To their attorneys who are making desperate efforts to save them from the gallows, it was a victorious march which led the boys away from their inquisitors into the confines of the jail where they would be permitted to consult with lawyers and advisers. To the boys it was a sorrowful procession—a march that ended behind strong iron bars in a cell much like other cells where murderers, thieves and other lesser criminals were lodged.

One by one three iron doors were closed behind the two boys. When the last one swung heavily on its hinges and the steel bolt was slipped quietly into its place, Leopold broke down. The spirit that had been debonair and haughty, crumpled under the weight of those doors.

"Three doors—three steel doors," he whispered softly to the deputy sheriff. "My God, I never thought it would come to this."

Loeb, more broken, weaker by far than his comrade, uttered not a word. He walked slowly, his hands deeply buried in his pockets.

The "\$15,000,000 defense" led by

Clarence Darrow and financed by the millions of their fathers, was hard at work today, devising some plan by which it was hoped to save the boys from execution. Insanity probably has come in contact.

The county grand jury was to convene today and state's Attorney Crowe was prepared to ask immediate indictment against Leopold and Loeb on counts of first degree murder.

Tax Reform Is Big Issue In G.O.P. Campaign

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he is elected on this platform in November.

The administration attitude toward the new law during the campaign will be that it was best obtainable under the conditions. There will be no disposition to claim it as a Republican accomplishment.

Rather, it will be held up as a "horrible example" of what the country may expect unless a Congress in harmony with the executive is returned to power next November. At the same time the Mellon plan will be vigorously defended and its merits explained to the electorate.

The President's firm intention to continue the fight for the Mellon plan was clearly expressed in the final words of the statement he issued on signing the present bill.

"A correction of its (the bill's) defects may be left to the next session of the Congress," he said. "I trust a bill less political and more truly economic may be passed at that time. To that end I shall bend all my energies."

Treasury Department machinery today worked at top speed to assure the immediate effectiveness of the 25 per cent tax reduction provision contained in the bill. Notices were dispatched to all collectors of internal revenue to prepare refunds to those who paid their full taxes in March. Instructions for cutting the remaining installments due on June 15 and in September and December were also sent out.

On June 15, those who owe a quarterly installment on their tax will pay just half of what they should had the new law not become effective. On September 15 and December 15, they will slice one quarter off the original installments.

me to the high office I seek I will endeavor to discharge the duties as faithfully and efficiently as my ability will permit.

Respectfully,
GEO. E. HUGHES.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Wednesday fair; warmer in latter Wednesday.

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Athletes From West Fail In Track and Field

NEW YORK, June 2.—Following the surprising failure of the highly regarded California teams in the intercollegiate track and field championships, some critics believe that other western reverses are to follow and that the domination over the East has been broken.

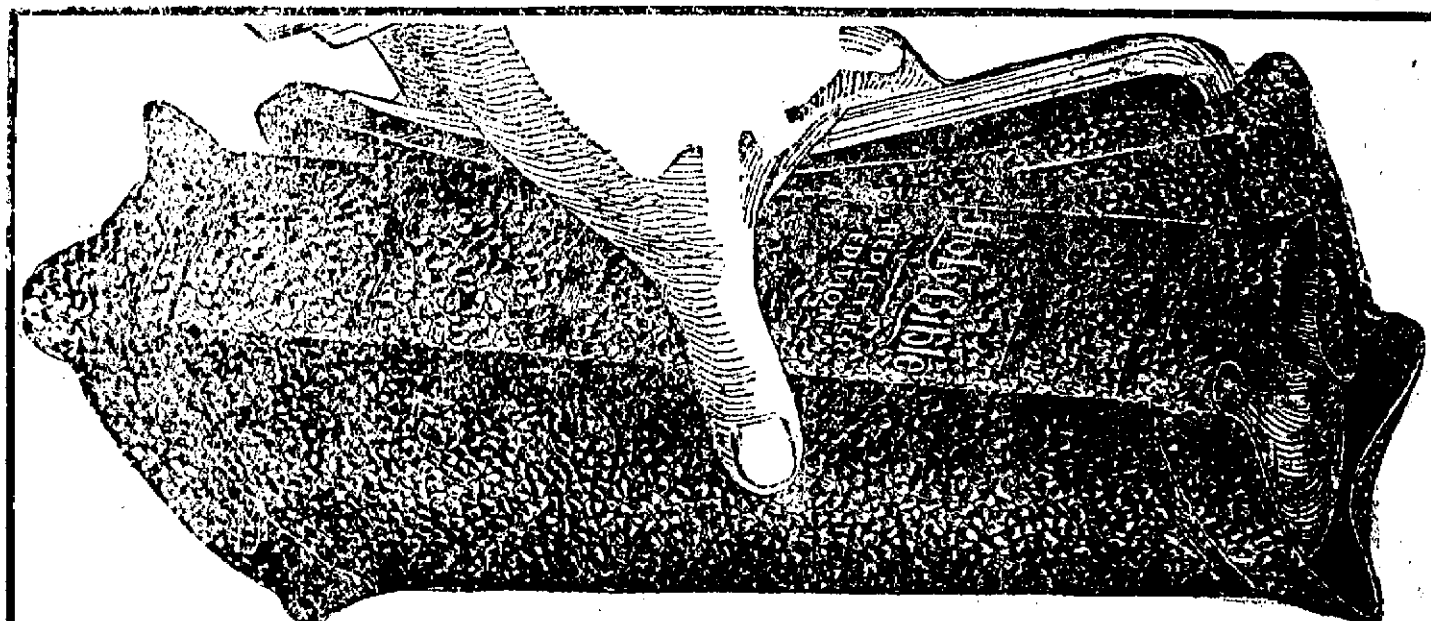
Only a few critics thought that Yale, or any other Eastern team, would win from the strong Stanford team at Cambridge and the same high regard of the far western entry in the intercollegiate rowing

championship was followed in the early predictions.

Another victory was marked up for the East yesterday when Princeton defeated the Arizona Polo team by a score of 8 to 0 and won the intercollegiate championship.

Considering the handicap that the Arizona players had in making the long trip, the result of the match was not the disaster that the score would indicate.

Saltine Crackers, 10c; 10-lb Sugar, 85c; good flour, \$1.75; bread, 8c; tomatoes, 10c. Shop at Tidwell's this month.



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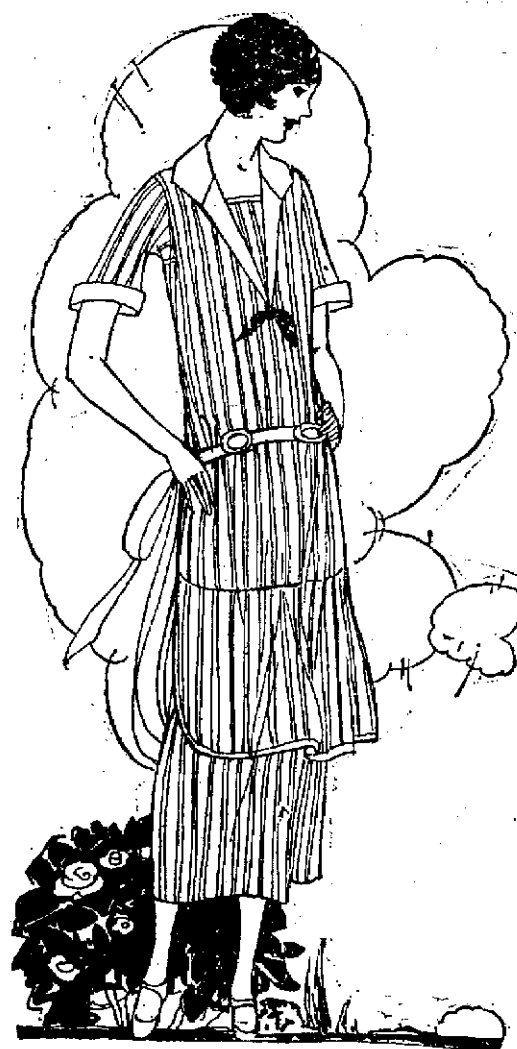
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LIGHTNING STRIKES BALLOON KILLING EXPERTS

Chinese Bandits Demand Ransom For American

While Charting Air Currents Bolt Hits Big Bag

MONTICELLO, Ill., June 3.—Thrown from a great height when the balloon in which they were charting air currents was struck by lightning during a severe electrical storm, Dr. C. LeRoy Meisinger, United States Weather Bureau expert, and Lieutenant James T. Neely, pilot, were killed about midnight. The bodies were found in a field today by a farmer. Meisinger's body was found nearly one mile from the spot where the balloon fell.

Thousands Tramp Through Streets At Shrine Meet

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 3.—The tramp! tramp! tramp of thousands of Shriners sounded through Kansas City's streets today as the Nobels, arrayed in the brilliant colors of a Joseph's coat, marched before admiring throngs.

Twenty thousand wearers of the fez staged their most gorgeous pageant in a blaze of color, marching to the music of seventy-five bands, drum corps and bugle corps.

For hours, the streets over which the parade swept, presented an endless stream of brilliant color and tuneful music.

The rays of a bright sun were reflected from the glistening band instruments and the ornamented uniforms.

Crowds gathered at points of vantage to watch the parade twelve hours before the signal for "forward march" was given to the proud Kismet Temple of Brooklyn which headed the procession. The temples marched in order of seniority. The Kismet Nobles fixed themselves up fine by bringing their own John Law along and six mounted policemen of New York's finest escorted the parade.

In the position of honor rode Conrad V. Dykeman, Imperial Potentate from Brooklyn.

The day was cool enough to make marching pleasant and the early morning mists were soon rolled back by the sun.

Each temple vied with the other to see who could produce the largest drum. Ansar of Springfield, Ill., rolled along a drum six feet high mounted on a two foot carriage.

Then came Mediam of Chicago with a 12 foot drum mounted on an automobile chassis, followed by Islam of San Francisco with one fifteen—but there was always one larger.

Tastes in masquerade also showed great variety. India Temple of Oklahoma took pride in an eight foot bull snake which stretched out lazily in the sun. Baby camels were in great favor with Arab chicks.

All Kansas City took a holiday for the event, with banks, stores and other places of business closed.

A score of grandstands accommodated 100,000 were erected along the route. Other thousands sought places to witness the pageant on the sidewalks, side streets, and hills.

The Hella Temple patrol, band and drum corps arrived from Dallas two hours before the parade got under way and had plenty of time to fall into position in the pageant. The Dallas Nobles looked fresh and peppy, and put a lot of snap and vigor into their work.

MANY WRITE FROM AFAR FOR MEXIA MADE PRODUCT

Tevis Morrow has received letters from three distant states, ending in orders for the cloth used to clean cars and furniture and which may be washed and still retain its qualities of service. The orders were the result of an article which appeared in the Mexia Daily News regarding this new industrial enterprise here.

Veil is Now Lifted in Hotel Death.



Before he died of gunshot wounds in the Broadway Central Hotel, New York City, Samuel Brown, married, and the father of five children, accused the woman with whom he had registered of killing him. She denied the charge, asserting he shot himself. The girl gave the name of Dorothy Brown, but police asserted she was Dorothy Sauman, former Chicago showgirl, and daughter of a cap manufacturer in Toronto, Can.

Tax Reform Is Big Issue In Campaign of G. O. P.

By A. L. BRADFORD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON, June 30.—President Coolidge has made further tax reform one of the big issues of the coming campaign.
Dissatisfied with the present measure which he approved only because of its "advantages as a temporary relief and a temporary adjustment of business conditions," the President will renew the fight for enactment of a "sound permanent tax policy."
1. Insertion of a Mellon tax plan plank in the Republican platform.
2. A vigorous campaign for popular endorsement of this stand.
3. A "big stick" attitude toward the December session of Congress if (Continued on Page 8)

New Irish Uprising Feared in Dublin.



Lord Mayor O'Neill, of Dublin, ordered removed from office by President William Cosgrave, of the Irish Free State, on the grounds of inefficiency, has defied the authorities to supersede him. The municipal authorities of Dublin, all of whom are Republicans, back O'Neill, and it is feared another Irish uprising is in the making.

Reunion Grounds Now Alive With Baptist Unionists

The gates swung open at the Reunion Grounds today for the big B. Y. P. U. encampment which will continue the remainder of the week, an epochal event in the life of the Baptist church of Limestone county and one that will likely be repeated here after each year.

Tents are available and many are camping for the week, while scores of others are expected to continue to arrive for the next several days. The houses also are occupied. With the reunion grounds looking the best and able weather now apparently favorable, the spot is ideal for camping and for the old fashioned gathering.

Members of all denominations are invited. The program promises to be one of the great interest and profit. Leading ministers of the denomination will appear from time to time.

Special Speakers
Dr. Harold Majors, Dallas.
Dr. R. G. Bowers, Waco.
Dr. J. C. Hardy, Belton.
M. M. Wolf, Houston.
Ross A. Smith, Waco.
S. D. Dollahite, Marlin.
M. B. Hays, Hillsboro.
Dr. L. R. Scarborough, Seminary Hill Texas.

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Sunday School Courses.
Special Sports.
Baseball Games.
Special Hours for Swimming for Women and Men, Separate.
Tennis Games.
Special Stunts.
All Athletics Supervised by Trained Athletes.
Officials of the Uvalde Paving Company called attention this afternoon to the fact that the X-All highway is open all the way now from 7 o'clock in the evening until 8 o'clock in the morning and this end is not closed at any time.

This makes it easy for people to attend the program and may be reached in a few minutes from town. The meeting tonight will on doubt attract one of the largest gatherings ever seen at the Reunion Grounds for a religious service.

TROOPS FAIL TO FIND COUPLE

MOUNTAIN LAKE, N. J., June 3.—If Helen Cole, young sculptress who went into the New Jersey Woods to catch a rabbit with her bare hands and Charles Carter, who went with her, are alive and pursuing their back to nature adventure, no flickering camp fire betrayed their whereabouts last night.

State troopers and volunteers who have hunted the couple for 48 hours watched throughout the night from the water tower atop the highest hills in these parts without catching a glimpse of a fire.

The girl and her escort, who were at a house party here, disappeared Saturday night, shortly after a discussion as to whether a man and a woman could survive in the "wilds" with no equipment or tools other than their hands. They haven't been heard from since.

Predict Dr. Fosdick Will Be Ousted.



The ousting of Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, Modernist leader, from his New York City pastorate and a complete rout of Modernists in the Presbyterian Church, was predicted in Grand Rapids, Mich., following the announcement that Dr. Charles E. Macartney, of Philadelphia, moderator-elect of the Presbyterian General Assembly, had named William Jennings Bryan as vice-moderator, and ultra-fundamentalist to chairmanships of all important church committees.

AIRPLANES LOOK FOR BOOTLEG SHIPS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 3.—Airplanes, hovered over the outskirts of Kansas City today on the lookout for "bootleg" planes reported bringing stores of "wet goods" to the Shrine convention. A mop squad of 150 prohibition agents began an intercity dry crusade.

FISH RESOLUTION DIED IN SENATE

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The Fish resolution appropriating \$10,000,000 to buy foodstuffs for German relief was defeated by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. A proposal to extend a government loan to Germany for relief was also defeated.

TEXAN SENTENCED TO DIE

LOS ANGELES, June 3.—A. F. Champion, formerly of Fort Worth, Texas, was sentenced to hang at noon August 15 for the murder of J. E. Goldy during a gambling game two years ago.

COMMENCEMENT DRAWS MANY TO WESTMINSTER

Wednesday is commencement day at Westminster College. At 10 o'clock in the morning the Commencement day services will begin, at which the degrees will be conferred on the class of graduates. Friends of the institution from all over Texas are here and at Tehuacana for the closing and to attend the various events of commencement time.

Albanian Revolt Expected Soon and Capital Likely to Be Captured by the Rebels

ATHENS, June 3.—Unconfirmed reports from Albania declare that Tirana, the capital, is about to fall into the hands of revolutionists.

Athens, rumor factory for the Balkans, has received varied reports of progress of an uprising in Albania during the past 48 hours. The reports seem to emanate from rebel sources. Apparently some form of revolution has been attempted, aimed against Durazzo.

One report said the American Minister to Albania had been asked to leave the country, his offense being that he had sought intervention by the League of Nations. The report did not say who had made the request. One of the first rumors in the wake of every Balkan uprising is concerned with a slight or insult to the American minister, the purpose of spreading the report being to enlist sympathy of the United States with the side opposite to that accused of the atrocity.

An example of the reports is the following: "Eight hundred fugitives arrived at Bari." The occasion for their being fugitives and whence they came is not mentioned.

There were persistent reports yesterday of fighting outside Scutari and it was said 32 government supporters and 18 insurgents were killed.

Another example of the rumors

Missionary Held To Get Money And Munitions

LONDON, June 3.—Thousands of rifles, pistols, and ammunition, well as 20,000 pounds Sterling is ransom asked by Chinese bandits for the release of Rex Ray, American missionary, and Carne, Britisher.

SOCIALISTS BEHIND HEROITT FOR PREMIER

PARIS, June 3.—The Social congress votes not to participate in the next cabinet, but to support Heriott as premier. The decision makes Heriott's ascension the premiership a certainty and Heriott's resignation more than probability.

MONDELL TO BE G. O. P. CHAIRMAN

CLEVELAND, June 3.—F. Mondell, former republican floor leader of the House from Wyoming will be permanent chairman of a republican convention, is announced.

MINORITY REPORT FAVORS FORD FOR MUSCLE SHOALS

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The acceptance of the Ford offer for Muscle Shoals would be for the benefit of the public, while government operation would be a "costly adventure," the minority report submitted from the Senate Agricultural Committee, declared.

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Peddy States Committee Is Fair To Both

HOUSTON, Texas, June 3.—George E. B. Peddy, home from Washington, feels sure that Earle B. Mayfield will not be permitted to keep his seat in the senate.

Peddy, who is contesting Mayfield for the place, has been a spectator at the Senate Committee hearing which is investigating charges that Mayfield was falsely elected, that he spent many times the amount permitted candidates under the Texas law, and that his election was unduly influenced by the Klan.

"I believe the committee is acting perfectly fairly towards both sides," Peddy stated. He also stated that he feels certain that the committee's report will go on the floor of the Senate for debate, but explained that he has no idea when this report will be made, since a voluminous record is yet to be compiled.

"The Daugherty and Teapot Dome probes have harmed our case I think," Peddy said.

"In those hearings, rumor and hearsay were allowed to such an extent that the Senate and the people became disgusted. As a result in our investigation an attempt has been made to enforce such strict rules of evidence that much testimony that should be in the record has been denied."

SUPER-INTELLECTUALS BREAK DOWN WHEN THEY TRAMP THRU GLOOMY PASSAGE LEADING TO COUNTY JAIL

By EDWARD C. DERR
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
CHICAGO, June 3.—Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, who have finally passed over the "bridge of sighs," and are held securely in the county jail for the first time on charges of murdering Robert Franks, 14-year-old school boy, may be connected with another murder, a brutal gland operation, and possibly other crimes. It was indicated at the office of State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe.

Charles Ream, a taxicab driver who six months ago was attacked and mutilated, identified Leopold and Loeb as the two youths who made him

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COMMENCEMENT DRAWS MANY TO WESTMINSTER

Wednesday is commencement day at Westminster College. At 10 o'clock in the morning the Commencement day services will begin, at which the degrees will be conferred on the class of graduates. Friends of the institution from all over Texas are here and at Tehuacana for the closing and to attend the various events of commencement time.

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that reach Athens and are circulated from here is one received this morning from Bucharest, totally unconfirmed, which says that General Avescu, Rumanian military leader has requested King Ferdinand to dismiss the Cabinet, otherwise it will be overthrown with 50,000 bayonets.

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STARTING RIGHT IS ESSENTIAL

A short while ago, there was much rejoicing in these United States when a Major and a Sergeant of the United States army found their way back to civilization, after having been lost in the bleak and barren region of ice-bound Alaska, their plane crashed and their chances for participation in the first flight around the world wasting slowly back to dust on the rugged ledge of an unknown and unnamed mountain. After their frightful experience, they recounted how for days and nights, unprotected but still undaunted as the boreal blasts of an almost unbearable clime beat upon their freezing and weakening bodies, they struggled to trek their way to some friendly shelter and finally back to the home of man. On several occasions, after plodding along for hours, they found that they had lost their way. They looked to their compass and slowly and painfully retraced their steps in the frozen snow back to the wreckage of their plane. In sight of their crushed hopes, they felt that they were not lost and realized the importance of starting out right, if they succeeded in reaching home. It some times becomes necessary to retrace steps, and start anew with renewed courage and zeal and make the very best of the means at hand.

Let's come back to our Chamber of Commerce for progress, and keep doing our very best, with confidence in our community and ever loyal to its best interests. Thus, Mexia will ultimately attain its goal, seen always by her men and women of vision.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

By PETER KEEGAN

The stock of Oscar Underwood of Alabama has risen somewhat since the Democrats have decided to hold their national convention in New York City. New York is "enemy territory" to the friends of William McAdoo, and the decision of the National Committee has resulted in a speeding up of their plans to get the nomination for the former Secretary of the Treasury. Bryan's "nomination" of a Florida college professor for the Presidency caused little more than a faint ripple on the political waters here.

It has become difficult for the President of the Senate to assemble enough of the members on the floor at one time to get a quorum for the transaction of business. Everyone is busily engaged in some kind of an investigation. Never before in history have so many things been subjected to senatorial scrutiny at the same time. It is estimated that these official inquiries will cost well over a million dollars.

No secret is made now of the fact that the United States is wholeheartedly on the side of Alvaro Obregon in his effort to put down the revolution that threatens to destroy his Government. Agents of the revolutionists are being jailed along the border on charges of violating the neutrality laws of the United States, while American arms and ammunition and American warships have been thrown into the balance against the rebels. The interest of this country in Mexico lies largely in the oil holdings of Americans in the Tampico regions, but deeper than that is the policy of the Coolidge Government to frown upon any revolutionary activities anywhere in this hemisphere.

The land of Tutankhamen has contributed the newest addition to the diplomatic corps in Washington. The Egyptian envoy and his staff, confronted with the Capital's chronic housing problem, are quartered temporarily in the suite of rooms which President Coolidge used before he took up his residence in the White House. The Egyptians are all Mohammedans and because there is no branch of that faith in the United States they had to bring their own priest with them from Cairo.

The jokesmiths of the country apparently have overlooked entirely the fact that Congressman Celler has introduced a bill to legalize beer and wine. And his first name is Emanuel, meaning, "the redeemer."

Local News

Mr. John Melton left Monday for Memphis to attend the Reunion of Confederate veterans which begins on the 4th, instant and continues three days. He is expected a great session of the thinning line of veterans.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Landrum are on their vacation in Arkansas, spending the while with friends and relatives in Little Rock and other points in Arkansas.

Mrs. G. W. Hopson is spending this week and next in Houston, Sour Lake and other points in South Texas, where she will visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Mary Frances Johnson, daughter of Hon. Luther A. Johnson, Congressman from this district, of Corsicana is a visitor with relatives and friends in Mexia.

Mr. P. P. Chapman of Fairfield was in the city Monday having his eyes examined by a local eyesight specialist.

Miss Gerodine Martin of Chattanooga, Oklahoma, is the charming visitor of her sister Mrs. R. C. Pyatt of this city.

"Scotty" Ferguson is in the city today visiting friends, after an absence of several weeks.

R. J. Ellington has returned from Lubbock. He will spend the next several days here.

Mr. Alva Grimes of Groesbeck was in Mexia yesterday having his eyes seen after.

You get better stuff when you get it yourself. Our customers say so. Try it during June. Tidwell's.

CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS

By N. P. HOUX

WITHOUT COMMENT

Any Chump Can Knock
Don't criticize your neighbor's faults, no matter what they do;
Don't ridicule the masses, or malign the chosen few;
Don't think yourself a censor of the silly human flock—
And just remember as you go, that any chump can knock.
Don't laugh at those who make mistakes or stumble by the way;
For you are apt to follow them—and almost any day.
Don't think the other's shifting sand while you are solid rock—
And don't forget, for heaven's sake, that any chump can knock.
Don't be a puller-down of fame on other men conferred;
Don't give a parting kick to one who fell because he erred,
Don't think that you are perfect and the only one in stock—
And now, once more, just bear in mind that any chump can knock!
—Exchange.

And then there is Colonel Love. He knows when to buck the tide and when to turn and swim with it. He didn't want the convention to endorse Alvin M. Owsley for the Democratic nomination for vice president, but when he faced the inevitable and in fancy saw himself flattened out, he not only joined with the Owsley shouters but made the motion to endorse him himself. For political astuteness you will have to hand it Boss Love.—Denison Herald.

A certain element of Texas University ex-students led by Will Hogg of Houston, is making a considerable fuss over a trivial matter. Gov. Neff declined the presidency of the University when the post was offered him by the regents, and this matter should be allowed to close right there, but Will Hogg and others are determined that it shall not be so. When it comes to the election of a president of the University certainly the regents should be able to find a man in Texas who is big enough for the job, and they may yet select a man who is not so well qualified as Pat Neff or who will ever render the satisfactory service that Neff is capable of giving to the University.—Kosse Cyclone.

Forsooth, brothers, fellowship is heaven and the lack of fellowship is hell; fellowship is life and the lack of fellowship is death; and the deeds that ye do upon the earth, is for fellowship's sake that ye do them. Therefore I bid you not dwell in hell, but in heaven—upon earth, which is a part of heaven, and forsooth no foul part.—William Morris.

Somebody supposed to know has figured it out for us. Of the ten cents paid for a loaf of bread, on the average, six cents goes to the baker, one and four-one-hundredths goes to the retailer, nine-tenths of a cent is given to those who haul the wheat to the mill and the flour for the mill to the baker. The elevator gets not quite one-tenth of a cent and the miller slightly more than half a cent. Producers of the wheat, the yeast, the salt and other ingredients get a little less than one and a half cents. The bulk of this cent and a half goes to the wheat farmer.—Terrell Transcript

In reference to the rumor of a settlement between Harry K. Thaw and his divorced wife, Evelyn Nesbit, whereby she is to receive ten dollars a day for the balance of her life, she asserts that such terms would be "ridiculous," declaring "that would 'not keep me in good perfume.' But the public need not worry about this—it's only a family trouble.—Wills Point Chronicle.

Bill Edwards, of the Denton Record-Chronicle, is some lucky guy. He was lucky enough to get himself elected to the legislature and lucky enough to be the most popular candidate right now for the office of Lieutenant Governor of Texas and in addition to all these he was lucky enough last Thursday to sit in his easy chair and watch a bunch of beautiful C. I. A. girl students of journalism get out an issue of his paper. A magnificent job it was, too.—Mineral Wells Index.

Nicolas Murry Butler of Columbia University says that "men and women of religious faith, of moral principle and public spirit" must strike the eighteenth amendment from the constitution. Which goes to show that even a distinguished college president sometimes knows mighty little about what men and women of religious faith, moral principle and public spirit stand for. This is the class who put the amendment in the constitution and who will keep it there.—Bonham Favorite.

A Full Stop.
He's stopping now beneath this stone At driving cars he was clever;
He failed to stop at a crossing, But here he'll stop forever.—Sam Miller in Mineral Wells Index.

NO FIXED RULE FOR AMOUNT INDIVIDUAL SHOULD SAVE

By S. W. STRAUSS, President American Society for Thrift

WHAT percentage of a man's income should he save? This is a question frequently asked, and a brief discussion of it might prove of interest to many who have given consideration to the matter.



S. W. STRAUSS

Some time ago the United States Government Savings System issued a statement that a thrifty man should spend 50 per cent of his income for living expenses; 10 per cent for education; 10 per cent for giving; 10 per cent for recreation and save 20 per cent. The Treasury Department has stated that a family of three with \$2,000 income should save \$200; a family of four with \$3,000 income should save \$300; a family of four with \$4,000 income should save \$400; a family of four with \$5,000 income should save \$500, and a family of five with \$10,000 income should save \$2,400.

These figures were undoubtedly arrived at after a close study of the personal economics of many families and are meant to cover average conditions.

While it may be true that the average man in America should save 20 per cent of his personal income it does not follow by any means that a man who under certain circumstances only saves 10 per cent or even 5 per cent of his income is not just as thrifty as some other man who might save 50 per cent of his income.

There are rightful duties and obligations that must be met, and their fulfillment might preclude the saving of any considerable sum of money. On the other hand, a man might be so situated that even if he did lay aside 20 per cent of his income he would still be indulging in wasteful habits.

Thrift is a matter of morals as well as of money. It is self discipline; strength of character; efficiency and a common-sense administration of one's affairs.

Save systematically as much as you can consistent with your circumstances in life. Be economical, but not miserly. Eliminate all possible waste.

If one will endeavor honestly to adhere to these practices he will be able to save what is consistent and right and within the meaning of true thrift.

The public service utility companies are doing considerable improvement in the city. The telephone company is placing tail posts throughout the residential district, substituting them for the lower ones. Work is progressing on the new power line between Teague and Mexia.

In Durango City, Mexico, ice is made by pouring water into the shallow cupping surfaces of century plant leaves laid on the ground, where it freezes when the weather is not cold enough to freeze water placed in domestic utensils.

At the highest point reached by man, about six and one-half miles, the air pressure is less than a fourth of what it is on the earth's surface and the average temperature is 50 degrees below zero.

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BARBER-GREGORY

Mr. Russell C. Barber of Corsicana and Miss Mattie Gregory of this city were quietly married at the First Baptist church Monday evening at seven o'clock. Rev. Joe Jeffers officiating.

Miss Belle Wright gave a beautiful violin solo assisted by Miss Anita Ledbetter at the piano. Mrs. Paul Harper played the pipe organ throughout the ceremony.

The bride is the charming daughter of R. B. Gregory of Petersburg, Texas and has been a resident of Mexia for the past two years where she has won many warm friends during her stay here as teacher in the public schools. The groom is General Superintendent of the Humble Company at Corsicana and has won the friendship and respect of all those with whom he has come in contact.

The happy couple motored to Waco,

Patterson's Column



YESTERDAY AT the National

THEATRE WHICH by the way

IS ONE of the finest show

HOUSES IN Texas playing the

SILENT DRAMA sat two ladies

WHO IT appears from their

CONVERSATION were terribly

BORED BY having to look at

A PICTURE of this writer

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THEY COMPLAINED bitterly that

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and

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AND ALL the while

THEIR CRITICISM was building

UP A sale for us as the

LADIES WHO told us about

THE MATTER bought a pair of

BEAUTIFUL SPERLING candle

STICKS and a sterling vanity

CASE AND told us they were

UNDECIDED AS to where to buy

BEING VISITORS and unacquainted

BUT THAT they were strictly

FOR AGGRESSIVE advertising

AND AFTER hearing the

CONVERSATION OF the ladies

IN FRONT decided to buy at

OUR FINE store right here in

MEXIA WHERE most people find

THEIR WANTS at prices they want

TO PAY so talk ladies talk

IF YOU can't say something good

FOR GOODNESS' sake say

SOMETHING—and listen

IF YOU want to go where you

WILL NEVER see Patterson's

PICTURE OR read his ads

GO TO a dead town

YOU'LL NEVER see him there

I THANK you.

—PATTERSON.

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then left immediately for Galveston by rail, where they will spend a week or ten days before returning to Corsicana to make their home.

At the meeting of the Eastern Star held Monday night the officers recently elected were installed, and after the meeting punch and sandwiches were served. The Chapter meets tomorrow afternoon to arrange for the coming school of instruction to be held next week.

The savings from a railway amalgamation in Great Britain have been put at \$125,000,000 a year.

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MEXIA DAILY NEWS SPORT PAGE

Severn Shuts Out Temple in First Start of Season

TEMPLE, Texas, June 3.—Mack Severn, making his 1924 debut in a Marlin uniform, hurled the Bathers to a thrilling 1-to-0 victory here Monday afternoon. The Temple club outthit the team from Marlin, but the visitors showed more merit in running bases. Lacy, batting for Clair in the 8th, smacked out a double, but was left on base. It was the only extra base hit of the game.

Marlin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Craig c f	1	0	0	0	0	0
Alexander 2 b	2	0	0	2	1	0
Mayhew 1 f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Greer 2 b-c f	3	1	1	2	1	0
F. Pipkin 1 b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Munson r f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Rawlins s s	4	0	0	2	3	0
White 3 b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Covington c	3	0	0	11	3	0
Severn p	2	0	0	0	4	0

Total.....28 1 4 27 13 0

Temple—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wren r f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Pipkin s s	4	0	1	4	3	0
Brown 1 f	4	0	0	3	0	0
Lind 2 b	2	0	1	8	2	0
Leissner c f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Lance 3 b	3	0	1	0	1	0
McElwee 2 b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Hudspeth c	3	0	2	7	0	0
Clair p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Crow p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lacy	2	0	1	0	0	0

Total.....30 0 6 27 9 0

Score by innings:

Marlin.....000 001 000—1

Temple.....000 000 000—0

Two-base hit: Lacy. Sacrifice hit:

Craig. Stolen bases: White 2; F.

Pipkin, Greer. Bases on balls: Severn

1; Clair 3. Struck out: Severn 10;

Clair 7. Hit batsman: Greer, Lind.

Double play: McElwee to Pipkin to

Lind. Losing pitcher: Clair. Passed

ball: Covington. Umpire: O'Hearn.

Wills Wins Big Victory in England

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, June 3.—Interesting competition, spectacular contests and record-breaking performances are quite certain to be numerous during the track and field, swimming, rowing and boxing events at the Olympic games, but none of them promise to arouse the international interest that will follow the probable meeting of Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen, world's tennis champion, and Miss Helen Wills, the 18-year-old American champion.

The idol of the American court and the proud boast of her country already has scored one tremendous victory in Europe. "Our Helen," sidestepping the polite language of the game for adequate expression, knocked them dead when she arrived in England.

It had been predicted before the California girl sailed for her first trip across the Atlantic that her personal charm would win a place in the heart of the English, but no one realized that they would fall as madly in love with her as they did.

London newspapers remarked that it was not within memory when any foreign visitor so quickly and so completely captivated the affections of all who met her as did the charming American miss. American friends can picture the blush on the young champion's cheeks when she read that her pictures printed in England "did her beauty and personal charm a grave injustice." American newspapers always have been generous in paying tribute to the modesty and ability of their champion, but they have not gone so far as to tell her how good looking she is.

While the primary purpose of her journey to Europe was to do her best in the Wimbledon tennis and the Olympic championships, it is none the less important that she scored such a complete personal triumph. Col. Robert Thompson, president of the American Olympic Committee, said, during the early days of the organization of America's participation in the Paris games, that one of the principal purposes in entering a large number of teams was to sell the United States to the world. He pointed out that the United States was being misunderstood in Europe since the war and that the athletes had a great chance to show on the field of sport that the United States did have some real ideals. He insisted that the American athletes should be gentlemen first and victors after, if possible.

JINX SAYS

Waco and Mexia are scheduled to meet again today.

The Mexia club certainly conferred a favor on the Waco club when the Gushers gave the Corsicana Oilers a double trouncing Sunday, but perhaps they will do the Indians the same way.

Rough Dry

FARMERETTE WINS HORSE SHOW HONORS.



MISS PEGGY KEITH

Miss Peggy Keith, of Warrenton, Pa., adjudged America's best farmerette by the Department of Agriculture, has just won a blue ribbon and cup with her pony, "Radio," at the National Horse Show in Washington, D. C. Miss Keith, who is only sixteen, is shown here with her mount and her trophy.

FROM THE PEOPLE

Vacation Time Is Here

Our schools, colleges, and universities are closing for the summer, and your boys and my boys; your girls and my girls (if you have neither you are missing life's choicest blessings) are back under the parental roof and we rejoice in their home-coming.

If by proper application and commendable deportment they have wrought well and built nobly, we feel glad for whatever of sacrifice we have made as a contribution to the uplift and upbuilding of the young manhood and young womanhood of our country.

No parent who really appreciates his responsibility can afford to neglect the proper training and education of his offspring. But, my friends, are we not dreading in the discharge of parental duty in that we allow too much latitude to our "young hopefuls?" In this day of rapid-fire transportation, with automobiles here, there, and everywhere, are we not just a little more lax in the exercise of that care and caution concerning the perambulations of our boys and girls than were our parents in the "days gone by?" You can doubtless recall when, as a young man, you were permitted to take your best girl out for a drive on Sunday afternoon provided you returned "before night." And how desperately you made love to that sweet "tootsie wootsie;" the things you said to her and the coyness she feigned. But you received a thrill that stayed with you until next Sunday came.

But not so now. The young motorist drives to your front gate, gives a honk or two, which meets immediate recognition, and without any formal salutation, says, "get in, kiddo, and let's take a spin," and off they go, and where? Well, we do not always know.

Now, my friends, it is not my purpose to bring an indictment against our boys and girls nor to intimate, or even insinuate, that they are worse, or perhaps so bad, as we were when we were boys and girls, but I am persuaded that present day environments are contributing very largely to distraction and disturbance of home life and this condition, I believe, should engross our earnest consideration.

Millionaire Bootlegger's Wife Under Arrest.



Mrs. George Remus, of Cincinnati, O., wife of the millionaire bootlegger who was taken from the Federal prison in Atlanta, Ga., to tell a Senatorial investigating committee in Washington that he spent \$3,000,000 for protection, \$300,000 of which went to the late Jesse Smith, intimate friend of ex-Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty, herself is under arrest in Cincinnati on a charge of violating the prohibition law. It is alleged she carried on her husband's work after he went to prison. Mrs. Remus occupies the most elaborate estate near Cincinnati.

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The home is the nucleus around which the entire fabric of our civilization must stand or fall. Destroy the fireside and nothing remains but confusion and chaos. Our boys and girls of today, God bless them, are to be the men and women of tomorrow and on their shoulders must fall the responsibility that is now ours. Let's make them strong physically, alert mentally, and impregnable morally.

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Come in and get our latest bob
With admiration they will throb

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BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION Yesterday's Results.

Marlin 1, Temple 0.
Others rained out.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Waco	38	23	15	.605
Marlin	40	22	18	.550
Corsicana	35	19	16	.543
Mexia	38	18	20	.474
Temple	37	16	21	.432
Austin	36	14	22	.389

Where They Play Today.

Waco at Mexia.
Austin at Corsicana.
Marlin at Temple.

TEXAS LEAGUE Yesterday's Results.

San Antonio 8, Wichita Falls 3.
Houston 3, Shreveport 1.
Other games rain.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	43	29	14	.674
Dallas	43	27	16	.628
San Antonio	44	26	18	.591
Houston	46	25	21	.544
Beaumont	45	23	22	.489
Wichita Falls	43	21	22	.488
Galveston	43	15	28	.349
Shreveport	43	10	33	.233

Where They Play Today.

Galveston at Fort Worth.
Houston at Shreveport.
San Antonio at Wichita Falls.
Beaumont at Dallas.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Yesterday's Results.

Washington 8, Philadelphia 2.
Only one schedule.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	36	22	14	.611
Boston	35	21	14	.600
Detroit	41	24	17	.585
Washington	37	18	19	.487
St. Louis	38	18	20	.474
Chicago	36	17	19	.472
Cleveland	36	14	22	.389
Philadelphia	37	14	23	.378

Where They Play Today.

Boston at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
Washington at Detroit.
New York at Chicago.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Yesterday's Results.

Pittsburgh 6, St. Louis 2.
New York 9, Boston 6.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	41	26	15	.634
Chicago	43	25	18	.578
Brooklyn	38	21	17	.553
Cincinnati	41	21	20	.512
Pittsburgh	41	20	21	.488
Boston	37	17	20	.459
St. Louis	41	18	23	.439
Philadelphia	36	11	25	.306

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Boston.
Only two games scheduled.

THESE SNAKES REAL.

HENRYETTA, Okla.—Jack Hazelwood whistled gayly as he bumped along with a truck-load of pipe in the oil fields near here. Suddenly his whistle turned to a whoop and Jack left the truck to its fate as a man-sized rattlesnake crawled out of the end of the pipe between his feet. Investigation revealed four companions of the playful rattler, which had apparently been awakened from slumber by the jostling of the truck. All of the reptiles were over five feet long.

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ACTRESS HAS TINNEY ARRESTED.



IMOGENE WILSON & FRANK TINNEY

Frank Tinney, internationally famous black-faced comedian, has been arrested in New York City, charged with felonious assault on Imogene Wilson, beautiful chorus girl in the Follies. She charged that Tinney beat her up in her apartment, and her physician declared she looked as if an automobile had struck her. The girl, who admitted she was desperately in love with Tinney, had previously staged a "suicide" party, but the "poison" she took was a harmless sugar-coated pill.

POULTRY AROUSE INTEREST AT GROESBECK MONDAY

GROESBECK, Texas, June 2.—Groesbeck's Second Golden Rule Trades Day held here Monday attracted thousands of people from all parts of Limestone County. From a stand erected on Main street thousands of dollars worth of live stock, farm implements, vehicles, and farm produce brought in from the farms were sold at auction. A poultry car secured for the occasion was filled with live poultry and a junk car was filled with scrap iron brought in from the country. Special prices were made in all the stores and sales were heavier than at any time within recent months. These sales are making a market for surplus farm equipment and live stock thus enabling the owners to obtain the cash for immediate use on what would otherwise be waste. A spirit of co-operation between the business men and the farmers in their trade territory has greatly strengthened and will lead to results more valuable even than the featured events and attractions.

Eastern Star To Hold School Of Instruction Here

There will be a called meeting of the Eastern Star Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at the Masonic Hall. All members expected to be present.

Beginning Tuesday of next week the school of instruction will be held at the Masonic Hall. The grand officers attending will be Mrs. Norton D. Wilborn, Worthy Grand Matron; Miss Winnie Loggins, District Deputy Grand Matron and Mrs. Lula Lelton, member Grand Examining Board. All members of Eastern Star are expected to attend.

Mexia has a powerful club although to date it has not realized its potentialities. The Gushers have no chance to win the pennant for the first half but they certainly will make trouble in the second race.

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MEXIA, TEXAS

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JOE JONES

On July 23, 1944, as I was entering the lobby of the Baltimore hotel in Mexico, whom should I meet but Darius Davis. "Why, Darius Davis," I exclaimed, "Why were you not at the banquet last night? We had a grand time."

"I am sorry I could not be there, but at the last minute, my factory in Chicago, for the manufacture of Bump-no-More face cream, had an explosion and I had to take care of the matter. I jumped into my plane and here I am, too late for the banquet, of course. What business are you in now?"

"Oh I am a traveling salesman. My products are big, black, long-bodied, high-powered Fords. But come, I must tell you of the banquet."

We seated ourselves comfortably in the lobby and I began:

"As you know it was given in honor of Herman Adams who is here for several days. Of course, he was a bit worn from the effects of his strenuous presidential campaign that he is carrying on now. He feels confident that he will be successful."

"And Darius, you'd be surprised to see how distinguished Gen. J. L. Gatlin looks in his uniform. Since the trouble has arisen between Japan and the United States, J. L. has been appointed commander-in-chief of the American forces. In his after dinner speech he related very vividly his many exciting experiences. He also told of how he had on his way home, accidentally met James Alewine and his wife, nee Eugenia Mullens. They were at Long Beach on their vacation. He reported that they were very happy with their five children and regretted that they could not be present at the banquet."

"Was Albertine there?" Darius anxiously inquired.

"Sure she wouldn't have missed it for the world. She is unmarried, as yet, and is living at Wortham, gathering up the news and spreading it. You know she always did lead the choir when it came to that."

"And Mariam—"

"Has just retired from a successful career as chorus girl in the Ziegfeld Follies. She is now married to Robert Storey. After being separated from him twenty years, she recognized him as a clown in Ringling Bros. Circus. They were married at once and now live at Teague."

"Through Robert, I learned of Deborah and Hugh. Deborah, the beautiful and talented opera singer, has taken the leading role in the classical opera, 'The Flea's Knee.' Hugh is the leading male character. When the opera appeared in the Hippodrome at Shiloh, thousands were turned away."

"And how about Marguerite?"

"Oh, she's happily married to the great radio magnet, Gerald Upton. Gerald and his wife live at Tehuacana, where the world famous Upton Radio observatory is located. Marguerite tells bedtime stories over the radio to thousands of kiddies."

"I read a few weeks ago in the 'True Story Magazine,' Love McDonald's account of the divorce of her sixth husband. Was she there?"

"Yes, and still has her magnetic power of attracting men. She told me confidentially that she cared nothing for men, but that it was such fun to handle them like toys and break their hearts."

"Through Love, I heard of Velma. She has become a famous chemist and is madly in love with her former chemistry instructor; of course he cares nothing for her; but Velma is dying by inches, poor girl."

"And Machon—"

"He now owns a Pool Hall in the San Angelo oil field. He has dissipated so much since he left school that his life is but a wreck, and I hardly knew him. What a fate for such a promising boy!"

"It's very sad indeed; but, Joe, tell me about your sister."

"Well, Darius, after Lansing finished school, the call of the country was so overpowering that she married a farmer and lives near Shiloh. Her eldest son, my nephew, graduates this year from Mexia High school."

"While I was visiting Lansing, she told me of Elise. Elise, after becoming disgusted with all men and life in general, denounced her religion and life, and is now a nun, teaching music in St. Paul's convent."

"W. B. Kendrick, as you know, made a fortune in oil. After being refused by the great violinist, Madeline Topp, he gave all of his fortune to a struggling institution for blind cats and joined the Josie Wright evangelical party. This group of Evangelists has done much good in the world. The Institution for Blind Cats was founded 1930, by two poor stenographers, Lucille Kennedy and Marie Boyd. They were overjoyed upon receiving the endowment."

"But say, Joe, you'd never guess where Aileen Tittle is. She is in the Museum at Chicago, a relic of a past age, with long hair. She refuses to cut her hair, even though all of the women have bobbed theirs."

"Well, that's very interesting. But have some more news. Jenieveve Bobb and Lela Parker have founded a school for cripples in Groesbeck. Jenieveve, realizing the need for training of cripples, has led the cause."

"Well, there's only two more—Wretha Merrill and Nona Ward. Nona is in Alaska selling Eskimo pies, the founders of that fruit, and

Veterinarians To Meet, Brownwood

BROWNWOOD, Texas, June 3.—Members of the State Veterinary Medical Association are scheduled to assemble in Brownwood on June 25-26 for the fourteenth annual meeting of the organization.

Leading veterinarians from all sections of the state will be in attendance and will lecture on various subjects pertaining to their profession.

On the evening of June 25, a huge banquet will be served all visiting delegates and their wives and a program will be given in connection.

W. K. Boyd returned Monday from Terrell where he attended the Onby-Gantt wedding of Sunday.

What you buy we stand by, even eggs. Tidwell's.

Wretha is ironing collars in the Mexia Steam Laundry.

"Daddy, Mamma says if you don't come on and go to the golf links like you said you would she'd come and get you."

"Well, Darius, I guess that settles it for the present. Run along, son. I'll be there in a minute."

Santone Should Be Clean City

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 3.—Soap, the bane of the small boys' existence is not held in such horror by the laundries.

In the laundries of San Antonio eleven tons of soap and 300,000 gallons of water are used monthly, that city dwellers may wear clean shirts, clean waists and sleep between spotless sheets.

From John M. Sexton, who has presided over one of the big washrooms of the city come these facts.

Occasionally the monotony of the laundry workers' life is broken by the finding of valuable articles in clothing being laundered, says Sexton, as in an incident sometime ago when a wealthy business man reported the loss of a very valuable set of diamond studded cuff links. Police were put on the case and followed many clues to no avail. Several days after the loss was reported one of the laundry girls found the now famous cuff links in a shirt being prepared for the wash.

Mondays and Tuesdays are the big days for the laundries the same as for the housekeeper who does her own washing, says the laundryman.

10-lb Cane Sugar 85c. Tidwell's.

Heavy rains have delayed the work of completing the pavement of the X-All highway south of town. About one mile has been completed in the neighborhood of Forrest Glade school house. Dry weather is now necessary to a continuation of the work.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Littman returned Monday from Corsicana, where they spent the week end with relatives and friends.

Well-Merited Success

Honored politically and professionally, Dr. R. V. Pierce, whose picture appears here, made a success few have equalled. His pure herbal remedies which have stood the test for fifty years are still among the "best sellers." Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a blood medicine and stomach alternative. It clears the skin, beautifies it, increases the blood supply and the circulation, and pimples and eruptions vanish quickly. This Discovery of Doctor Pierce's puts you in fine condition, with all the organs active. All dealers have it. Send 10 cents for trial pkg. of tablets to Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.



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OPTICAL PROVERBS

(adapted from the English)

The blind eat many flies.
A close mouth catches no flies; an open eye prevents many a fall.
A crooked log makes a straight fire but a crossed eye makes a crooked face.

Music helps not the toothache;

neither will a full stomach stop eye-ache.

A blind man would be glad to see it.

The tongue ever turns to the aching tooth, the hand to the aching eye.

If you believe all you hear, you may eat all you see.

(Adapted from the Russian)

Knock out his eye, who remembers

by-gones.

In the kingdom of the blind, the one-eyed is king.

Why give nuts to the squirrel when it has lost its teeth, or pictures to the blind?

A blind man should never buy a house.

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New Stars Show Up For Olympic

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, June 2.—"Our prospects could not be more pleasing. The athletes all over are surprising us. We're finding new stars that we hadn't expected and the veterans are doing more than expected." Lawson Robertson, head coach of the American Olympic team made this comment about the prospects for the United States team at Paris this summer after watching the intercollegiate championships and later hearing the results of the trial meets Saturday.

Walter Christie, coach of the champion California team of 1921, 1922 and 1923 and the head field coach of the Olympic team, said "All of the Western athletes have not been heard from. Wait till you see some of them in the finals."

Performances in the meet Saturday clinched places on the Olympic team for a number of athletes. Ivan Riley, of the Illinois Athletic Club, broke the world's record for the 400 meter hurdles. He made a mark of 52 1-10 seconds which is good enough to win any meet.

Wilson, of the University of Iowa, made a new world's record for 200 meters when he sprinted the distance in 21 1-10 seconds.

J. B. Cheaney, Howard Payne University, equalled the record for 100 meters in 10 4-5 seconds.

Comins, star Yale sprinter and broad jumper clinched a place on the team when he turned in 24 feet for the broad jump, and Owens, Pennsylvania, made a great performance in the pole vault.

Glenn Hartranft of Stanford; Bud Houser of California and Ralph Hills, Princeton, proved they were the best shotputters in the country and probable winners at Paris. Hartranft and Houser also showed fine form in the distance throw.

ELINOR GLYN'S MESSAGE ABOUT "THREE WEEKS"

By ELINOR GLYN

(Mrs. Glyn, who aided Director Alan Crosland in filming for Goldwyn Corporation her novel, "Three Weeks," the screen version of which comes to the National Theatre on Thursday for three days, has written the following message to the public.)

I do not think it is often that an author can say that his work has been correctly interpreted on the screen—and that is why it gives me so much pleasure to tell of the making of "Three Weeks"—which goes out all over the world just as I meant it to be, the story of a great love, not a sensual record of passion. Friends of the book will now have the opportunity of seeing it in pictures. And, if at first they do not recognize the opening scenes as belonging to the story, it is because they were only vaguely alluded to in one or two chapters, not actually described. But they were in my mind, and they show the home environment of "The Lady," the ugly life in the Palace that she was obliged to endure with the dissolute King, her husband in name only. And when that is established, we then get to Paul's home, Verdway Place, in peaceful England, on the eve of his departure for a trip abroad, to forget that humorous boyish calf-love affair with Isabella, the Parson's worthy daughter! And from then onward, the picture moves exactly as the romance in the book moves—only condensed for the exigencies of the silver sheet—but the spirit is there—the spirit of tenderness, love and passion—and love's twin sister—sacrifice, and so to the final tableau, when the spirit has risen beyond earthly things, and brings rest and consolation. The Lady paid the price of breaking the law of man—with her life—but love's eternal flame burned on.

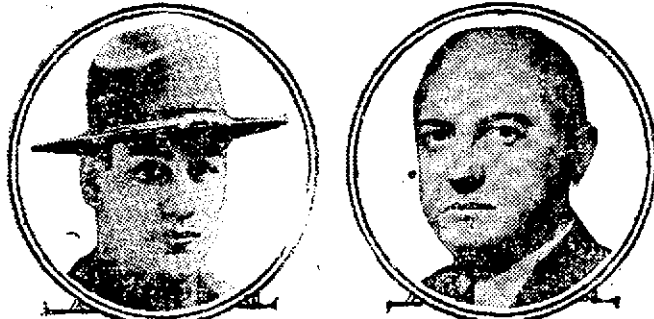
Every scene has been a joy to make. I wrote the scenario in England, and came to California six months ago to begin production. I wanted to get into it all the salient points of the book, and yet carry it along with that sustained interest, which is so necessary in a cinema. And with the able assistance of Mr. Carey Wilson, we made what I hope is a live-wire continuity together.

Then perfect types had to be found for the various parts. I never had a doubt about Aileen Pringle for "The Lady." She represents exactly what I want my Queen to mean—a person of dignity and refinement, with the passion of the play, and none of the vulgar vulgarity which some mistaken people weave into the idea of the part.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Caldwell and baby spent Sunday with old friends at Marlin. Mrs. Caldwell has just returned from Cleburne where she visited her relatives.

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CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: ADOLPH STERN & HENRY MORGENTHAU
Below: ANGELO M. ELLISON & ROYAL H. WELLER

The House of Representatives has confirmed the right of Royal H. Weller, Democrat, of New York City, to a seat in Congress, which was contested by Martin C. Ansooge, Republican. Angelo Milton Ellison, Greek ex-elevator boy, has filed suit in New York courts for the entire \$17,000,000 estate of his alleged foster father, Edward E. Searles, millionaire recluse of Methuen, Mass., which was inherited by Arthur T. Walker, Searles' secretary. Henry Morgenthau, millionaire New York philanthropist, has been officially thanked by the Greek Government from his relief work among Greek refugees from the Turks in Macedonia. Adolph Stern, of New York City, has been unanimously elected Grand Master of the Independent Order B'nai Abraham, in session at Saratoga, N. Y. The order has 500 lodges in America.

NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER?" and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified vot-

ers voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing of a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said char-

ter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law herinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission

shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereunto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public interests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.

(Seal)
Approved:

Attest:

R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
Approved by Charter Commission:
I. W. Keys
David Murphy
Ben F. Stollenwerck
B. R. Howard
Carl Davis
J. I. Riddle
C. A. Chambers
Mrs. Sam Cox
Mrs. Jack Womack
Mrs. W. W. Barnett
Mrs. Roy E. Bass
Mrs. John H. Sweatt
Phil Karner
J. Sanford Smith
W. Duke Pittman

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AUSTIN, Texas, June 3.—It has cost residents of the state more in fire losses for the last four years than it has for the maintenance of their entire educational system, according to statistics which State Fire Marshall G. W. Tilley has compiled.

Tilley's figures reveal that the fire loss in Texas for the last four years has approximated \$18,000,000 a year while the appropriation for the public schools of the state has been only \$16,953,622.50 each year.

Other interesting statistics and figures in the office of the state fire marshal show that in the last three years 730 persons in Texas have been burned to death; that the average fire loss in the state each year for the last four years would build a highway from Texarkana to El Paso, and another from Amarillo to Galveston with enough money remaining to build a concrete road eighteen feet wide from Dallas to Austin.

Further statistics in Tilley's office reveal that there is a fire every minute somewhere in the United States; one dwelling house burns every four minutes; one farm house every seven minutes; four warehouses every day; five churches every day; five school houses every day; 15 hotels every day, and 40 humans lose their lives in fires each day.

IRENE RICH AND MONTE BLUE PLAY IN SAME PICTURE

"Lucretia Lombard", the screen adaptation of the novel of the same name by Kathleen Norris, is scheduled for a 3-day run at the National Theatre, with Monte Blue and Irene Rich heading a distinguished cast of players.

In book form, the story enjoyed enormous vogue, being hailed as one of the most striking novels of the past decade. It deals with a young and pretty woman tied down to an old unlovable curmudgeon of an old man, who is an invalid and needs constant care. As a result, the woman is deprived of all the joys and riches held by life, and feels youth slipping down the retrograde till she meets the man of her heart.

In casting the players, Director Jack Conway and Producer Harry Rapt sited and considered every star of note, to get true characterizations. Monte Blue and Irene Rich were the pick.

The picture brings out the wretchedness of a loveless marriage. Lucretia, still young and pretty, finds herself cheated, the wife of a confirmed invalid who bullies her. An extra stolen dose of opiate administered by himself ends the life of her husband—and she is free, but only to find herself embroiled in a triangle so hectic that her former difficulties seem as nothing.

How two women battle for the love of a man, and how fate steps in at the eleventh hour, staging a spectacular forest fire to settle the drama, is shown in this Warner Brothers Classic of the Screen.

It is said that no pains have been spared to make "Lucretia Lombard" as great a picture as it was a great book. Critics who have already viewed the picture say it is a triumph in every respect.

Monte Blue and Irene Rich will be remembered everywhere for their brilliant work in "Brave", the screen adaptation of Charles G. Norris, who is the husband of the author of "Lucretia Lombard."

Others in the cast are Marc McDermont, Alec B. Francis, John Roche, Lucy Beaumont, Otto Hoffman and Norma Scheerer.

Remember, there is a limit to human endurance. The friend who stands up for you may tire in the course of time and proceed to sit down upon you.

It is surprising how any things a girl can learn in boarding school that will never be of any use to her.

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WGY, 7, Musical play.
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KYYW, 7:30 to 7:45 American Farm Bureau Federation speakers.
WHAS, 7:30 to 9, Concert.
WWJ, 7:30, News orchestra.
KYYW, 7:45 to 8:00, Musicale.
8:00 to 9:00 p. m.
WIP, 8, Weem's Victor Recording orchestra.
WFI, 8, Kerr's Dance orchestra.
WAAW, 8, Cross Lutheran church.
WHE, 8 to 10, Swedish orchestra; speakers from Evine convention.
WSB, 8 to 9, Ritz Harmony orchestra.
KHJ, 8 to 8:30, Hickman's orchestra.
WMAQ, 8:15, Lyon and Healy concert.
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WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30, Austin College Alumni celebration.
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30, Vocal concert.
9:00 to 10:00 p. m.
KHJ, 9 to 9:30, Children's program.
WLW, 9, Choir.
KDKA, 9, Concert, Mitchell's orchestra.

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WLW, 9:30, Ku Klux Klan orchestra.
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10:00 to 11:00 p. m.
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KFI, 10 to 11, Ambassador Hotel concert.
KHJ, 10 to 12, Vocal and instrumental numbers.
WSB, 10:45, Rainbow orchestra.
11:30 to 12:00 Midnight.
WFAA, 11 to 12, Aida Choral club.
KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
WLW, 11, Midnight concert.
WDAK, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

Bootlegging Gas In Houston

HOUSTON, Texas, June 3.—There are bootleggers and then there are other bootleggers.

The city fathers of Houston sometime ago decreed that the selling of gasoline on Sunday was taboo, at least within the city limits. But the Houston Auto Relief club thought differently and following the arrest of officials, the case went to court. The club won.

Strict orders have gone forth to patrolmen to arrest all violators of the "gasoline blue law" and the relief club is reaping a rich harvest, competitors who are forced to close their doors.

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GREAT CAST APPEARS IN "THREE WEEKS"

Probably no motion picture cast ever before was selected with so much care as that of "Three Weeks," the Goldwyn studios' film version of Elinor Glyn's famous love story, coming to the National Theatre Monday.

Mrs. Glyn herself came to the Goldwyn studios from London to assist in the filming of her novel, and collaborated with Alan Crosland, the director, in selecting the players.

First came the Queen—one of the most famous characters of modern fiction. She must be beautiful, dignified, mysterious, subtle, with a mixture of fierce Slavic passion, and the repression of a woman worn down by cruelty—but above all, a regal, commanding Queen.

Aileen Pringle, a little known screen actress then, was chosen for the role—not for any "commercial value" her name might carry—but because she was the living, breathing Queen as described by Mrs. Glyn in her novel.

Then "Paul"—tall, handsome, blond typically English—was to be chosen. The choice—Conrad Nagel, prominent screen leading man, selected not only because he fit the physical requirements of the role, but because he is recognized also as one of the outstanding actors of the screen.

The lesser members of the cast were chosen with equal care. All of the other characters of the story are European, and nearly all are Slavic. Mr. Crosland and Mrs. Glyn insisted that the players look their parts, and considered scores of actors, both great and unknown, for each role.

John Sampson, noted character actor, was signed as the dissolute, brutal Balkan king. Stuart Holmes and Robert Cain, both finished film players, were cast as "Petrovich" and "Verchoff," the king's unscrupulous aides.

Mitchell Lewis, Dale Fuller and Nigel de Brullier were selected to play the native servants of the Queen, and lend their ability to minor but very difficult roles.

Claire de Lorez, noted screen beauty was brought to Los Angeles from New York to play the part of Mitzi,

wild, passionate gypsy girl who charms the king, and indirectly causes the death of the Queen.

H. Reeve-Smith, for years a prominent stage actor of New York, was lured to the screen for the first time in "Three Weeks" and plays a relatively small part as Sir Charles, father of Paul.

Helen Dunbar plays Lady Henrietta, Paul's mother. Joan Standing will be seen as "Isabella," gawky English girl with whom Paul has a "puppy love" affair; Charles Green, as Thompson, Paul's valet, and William Haines, as the Curate, fill out the cast.

Alan Crosland, Jr., five-year-old son of the "Three Weeks" director, appears in one scene as the son of Paul and the Queen.

Hardly a day passes but that automobile accidents are not reported in Mexia. Sunday afternoon, two cars ran together at the intersection of Ross Avenue and Sumpter street, throwing a little boy out on the pavement and injuring his head. Fortunately it is understood that he was not seriously hurt and the damage was minor.

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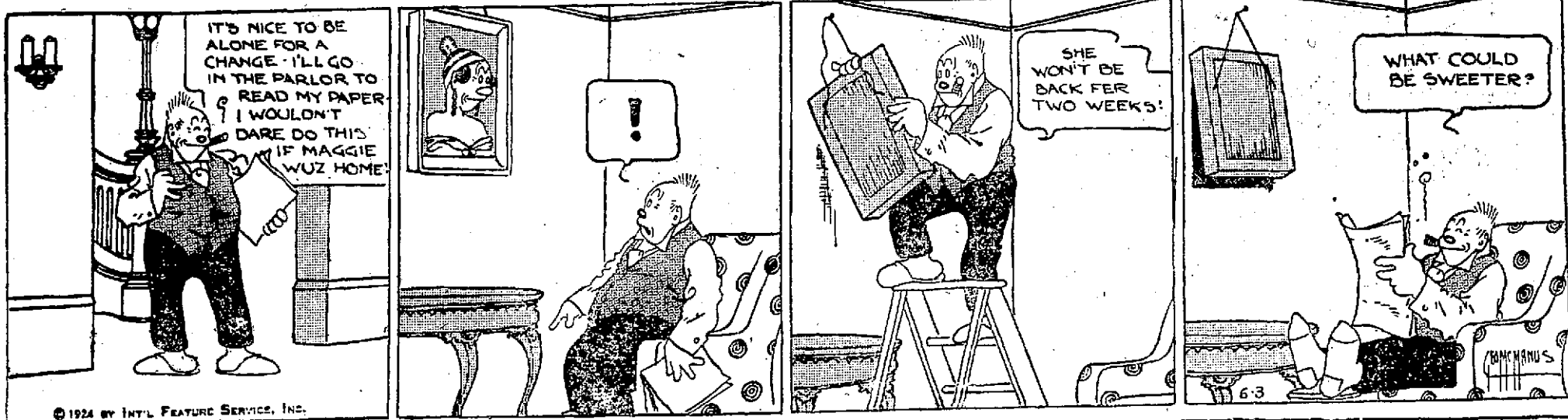
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For Governor—

FELIX G. ROBERTSON.

For Senator 13th District—

HARRY P. JORDAN

For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.

C. H. MACHEN

For District Judge, 87th Judicial District—

J. ROSS BELL

(Re-Election 2nd Term)

J. E. WOODS.

For District Clerk—

M. A. AINSWORTH.

For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—

LUTHER A. JOHNSON

(Re-Election Sought)

For Representative Limestone County

W. P. ALEXANDER.

For County Judge—

H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD

B. W. MILES.

For County Clerk—

J. L. DAY, (re-election.)

For County Tax Assessor—

TOM M. CAIN

R. W. (BOB) STEEN

A. A. HYDEN.

J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM

For Tax Collector—

W. A. ROBBINS, (re-election.)

For County Treasurer—

H. C. FITZGERALD.

For Sheriff—

WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—

JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)

LUTHER COX.

For County Treasurer—

MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)

County Attorney—

SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)

For County School Superintendent—

J. J. BATES.

MRS. CORA FERGUSON

(Re-election.)

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—

S. H. FLAKE

CHARLES L. CLOVER.

O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4

VIRGIL D. WOOD

For Constable, Precinct No. 4—

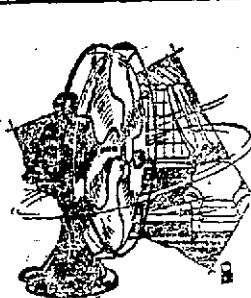
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GEO. E. HUGHES OUT FOR REPRESENTATIVE

In offering as a candidate for the Legislature from Limestone county, I did so with a full realization of the responsibilities of that office. I realize that no more important office within the gift of the people exists than that of representative to the legislature and after giving the matter full consideration and sizing myself up, I felt that I was qualified to hold the position with credit to myself and my constituents.

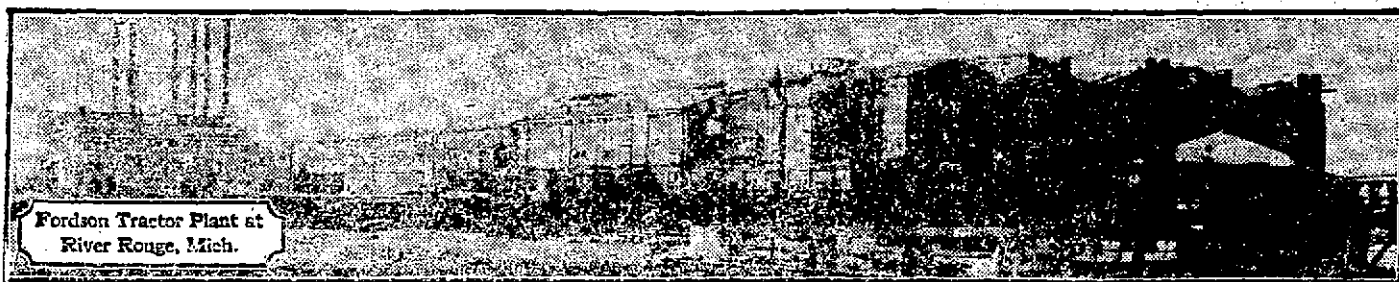
I came to Limestone county more than five years ago from Waco, Texas, where I had attended Baylor University for four years. I have for the past four years been engaged in the newspaper business in Groesbeck. I have never before asked election to a public office and would not now ask for election to the legislature except for the fact that I believe that in the next two years there will be an upheaval in the administration of governmental affairs in this State that will require level headed men with courage to fight for the rights of the people in the legislature. It matters not what your candidate for governor may promise to do, when it is sifted to the last analysis the levying of taxes and the appropriation of moneys is made by your legislature and the men who are elected to that position should be men who will have an eye to the public welfare.

I believe that by a strict economy in office the tax burden can be lightened, but it will be impossible to reduce taxes if new things to spend money for are created by each session of the legislature. Government is the biggest business in this country, and I believe that if the rules of business are applied to governmental affairs that a waste of public money will be prevented. I do not favor a reduction of taxes that would impair the efficiency of our public school system, for the public schools are already under financed.

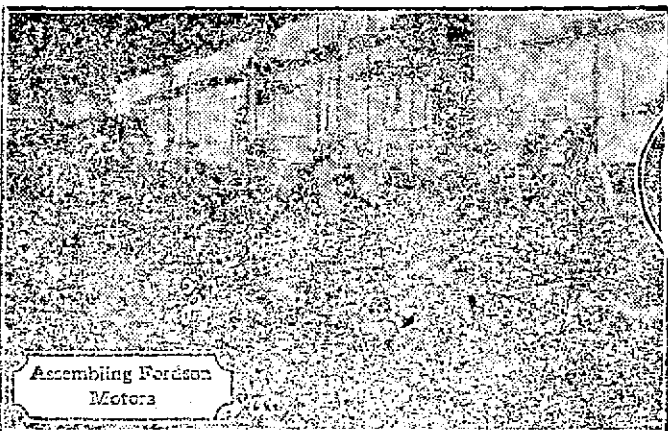
I believe in the strict enforcement of all laws. Disregard for laws breeds contempt for all laws and there is too much of a tendency to lighten up on the enforcement of a law for which the people have no respect. Rather would I, for the benefit of law in general, see a law repealed than to allow it to remain on the statute books to be despised by the people, unenforced by the officers, and an avenue through which other laws are not respected.

The pay of a representative to the legislature is such that a candidate can ill afford to spend the money necessary to make a thorough campaign for the office, and my business affairs demand my closest attention so that it will be impossible for me to make a canvass of the county in order to meet the voters, however well I should like to make such a canvass that I might become better acquainted with the people of the county. There are three candidates in the race for this office. There are no issues between us, we are all three democrats and there is probably no question vital to the best interest of the people of Texas and Limestone county or essential to the making of a good representative to the legislature that we could not agree upon. If you feel that one of my opponents could best serve you as representative, I am frank to tell you that I think you would be doing yourself and your State and county an injustice if you did not vote for him. But if you have confidence in my ability and believe that I can serve you faithfully and efficiently in the legislature I will appreciate your vote and influence. If you are fit to elect

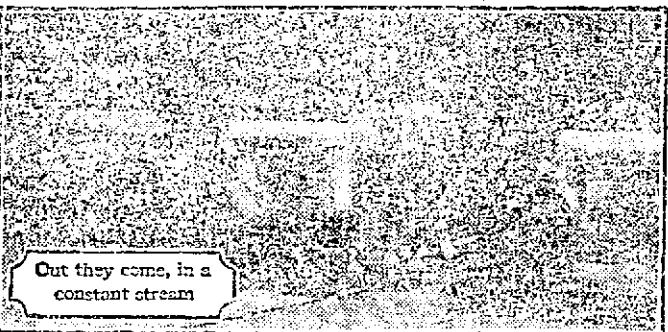
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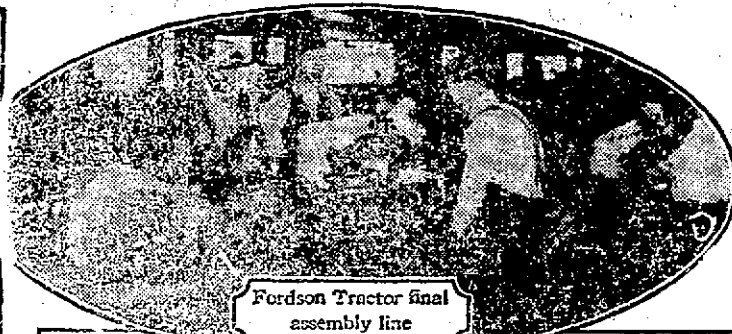
Fordson Tractor Plant at River Rouge, Mich.



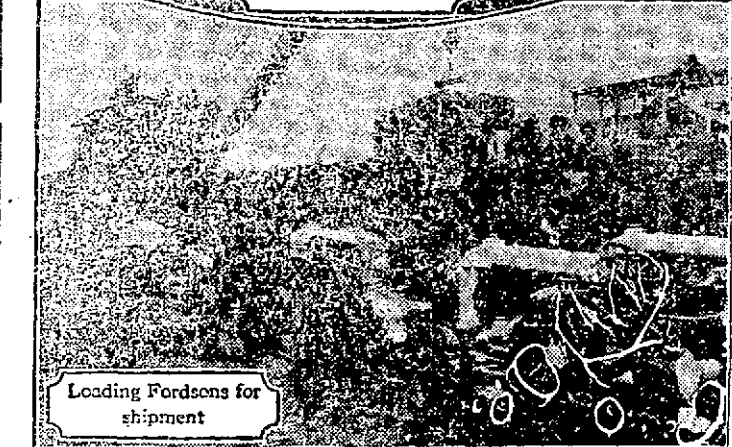
Assembling Fordson Motors



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Fordson Tractor final assembly line



Loading Fordsons for shipment

All Along Assembly Lines, Parts, Coming in Endless Procession, Quickly Swarm Together into Completed Power Plants

ALL over the country, from farmsteads, from the builders' backyards, from the buildings who undertake great construction jobs and from great makers who smooth the way for transportation, there is an increasing demand for tractor power.

This is fully demonstrated in anyone making a little journey through the Fordson Tractor plant of the Ford Motor Company at River Rouge, Mich., near Detroit, where these power plants are being produced at the rate of about the every eight-hour working day. That's close to one a minute.

Not only are farmers more keenly realizing the advantages and economies of tractor power, but the adaptability of the Fordson to both farm and general driving work is drawing a constantly increasing number of them into industrial and commercial activities.

Popularity Great

Sturdy, dependable, easy of operation and adaptable to more than 100 different uses all through the range of farm and through commercial activities.

Along this assembly line you begin to realize the magnitude and efficiency of the Ford manufacturing methods as the numerous parts are put together, each coming to its proper station along the way at just the exact moment it is needed.

First is the steam bath. Motor blocks, cylinder heads, crankshafts, fly wheels, rear axle housings and many other parts must pass through this bath before they go on for assembly. Under the flow of boiling water with its mixture of soda, every particle of grease and other foreign matter is removed and the parts come out thoroughly cleaned and without danger of any rusting.

Quickly Take Shape

Sent along on a great conveyor, lined on either side by busy workmen, the Fordson motors quickly take shape, part after part being attached as the motor slowly moves down between the working forces. And on the way tests are made so that when the completed motor reaches the numbering station it is ready for installation.

At the end of the line the motor is picked up by an overhead lift and passed on to the final assembly line, where before the astonished eyes of the visitor the tractor is built in an amazingly short time.

First the rear axle is attached, then the front axle, steering wheel, seat,

wheels, tank and other parts in order, all being fitted on rapidly, exactly and at just the proper time.

Driven Off Lines

From lines of hose dropping from overhead pipes you notice workmen supplying water, oil, gasoline and kerosene. As the tractor nears the end of the line a driver mounts the seat, an ingenious electrically driven cranking machine cranks the motor, there are a few chugs and off it goes under its own power and then on up another line. Here scores of painters are ready to receive it and the final coat of paint is applied as it moves along the conveyor.

Another crank, a few more chugs, and the driver takes his tractor off the line for the final tests and then on out to the loading docks where it is sent on its way to bring greater efficiency and economy in the operation of agricultural and industrial pursuits.

All Fordson Tractors are made and assembled at the River Rouge plant under the constant supervision and inspection of the Ford Motor Company's tractor inspectors. The quantity production and high standards of manufacture enables the company to deliver the Fordson Tractor to the purchaser at an exceptionally low price and at the same time assures him of the greatest of service facilities through an organization of more than 2,000 dealers.

SUPER-INTELLECTUALS BREAK DOWN WHEN THEY TRAMP THRU GLOOMY PASSAGE LEADING TO COUNTY JAIL

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car on the night I was kidnaped. It was Leopold who held that other landage over my face.

"Do you think I could forget the face of the men who have taken so much out of my life?"

With Ream's identification of Leopold and Loeb as his attackers, authorities announced they would investigate every recent unexplained crime on Chicago's police records, in the belief that the millionaire college students may have been connected with them. Several murder mysteries, gland operations and high banditry will be investigated.

"There is no telling where our investigations will lead us," Crowe said. "These boys, if they were capable of kidnaping an innocent school boy and murdering him, may be guilty of many other crimes."

Crowe indicated that the two "brilliant college students," possessed with the belief that they were "too smart" to be found out, may have started on a prolonged adventure in crime to satisfy their ego. He said it was entirely possible that they may have started in minor offenses, going step by step to greater crime, climaxing in the murder of Robert Franks, which finally led to their downfall.

Young Leopold and Loeb were taken last night through the long, gloomy tunnel that leads from the criminal court to the county jail.

To their attorneys who are making desperate efforts to save them from the gallows, it was a victorious march which led the boys away from their inquisitors into the confines of the jail where they would be permitted to consult with lawyers and advisers. To the boys it was a sorrowful procession—a march that ended behind strong iron bars in a cell much like other cells where murderers, thieves and other lesser criminals were lodged.

One by one three iron doors were closed behind the two boys. When the last one swung heavily on its hinges and the steel bolt was slipped quietly into its place, Leopold broke down. The spirit that had been debonair and haughty, crumpled under the weight of those doors.

"Three doors—three steel doors," he whispered softly to the deputy sheriff. "My God, I never thought it would come to this."

Loeb, more broken, weaker by far than his comrade, uttered not a word. He walked slowly, his hands deeply buried in his pockets.

The "\$15,000,000 defense" led by

Clarence Darrow and financed by the millions of their fathers, was hard at work today, devising some plan by which it was hoped to save the boys from execution. Insanity probably has come in contact.

The county grand jury was to convene today and state's Attorney Crowe was prepared to ask immediate indictment against Leopold and Loeb on counts of first degree murder.

Tax Reform Is Big Issue In G.O.P. Campaign

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he is elected on this platform in November.

The administration attitude toward the new law during the campaign will be that it was best obtainable under the conditions. There will be no disposition to claim it as a Republican accomplishment.

Rather, it will be held up as a "horrible example" of what the country may expect unless a Congress in harmony with the executive is returned to power next November. At the same time the Mellon plan will be vigorously defended and its merits explained to the electorate.

The President's firm intention to continue the fight for the Mellon plan was clearly expressed in the final words of the statement he issued on signing the present bill.

"A correction of its (the bill's) defects may be left to the next session of the Congress," he said. "I trust a bill less political and more truly economic may be passed at that time. To that end I shall bend all my energies."

Treasury Department machinery today worked at top speed to assure the immediate effectiveness of the 25 per cent tax reduction provision contained in the bill. Notices were dispatched to all collectors of internal revenue to prepare refunds to those who paid their full taxes in March. Instructions for cutting the remaining installments due on June 15 and in September and December were also sent out.

On June 15, those who owe a quarterly installment on their tax will pay just half of what they should had the new law not become effective. On September 15 and December 15, they will slice one quarter off the original installments.

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GEO. E. HUGHES.

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Athletes From West Fail In Track and Field

NEW YORK, June 2.—Following the surprising failure of the highly regarded California teams in the intercollegiate track and field championships, some critics believe that other western reverses are to follow and that the domination over the East has been broken.

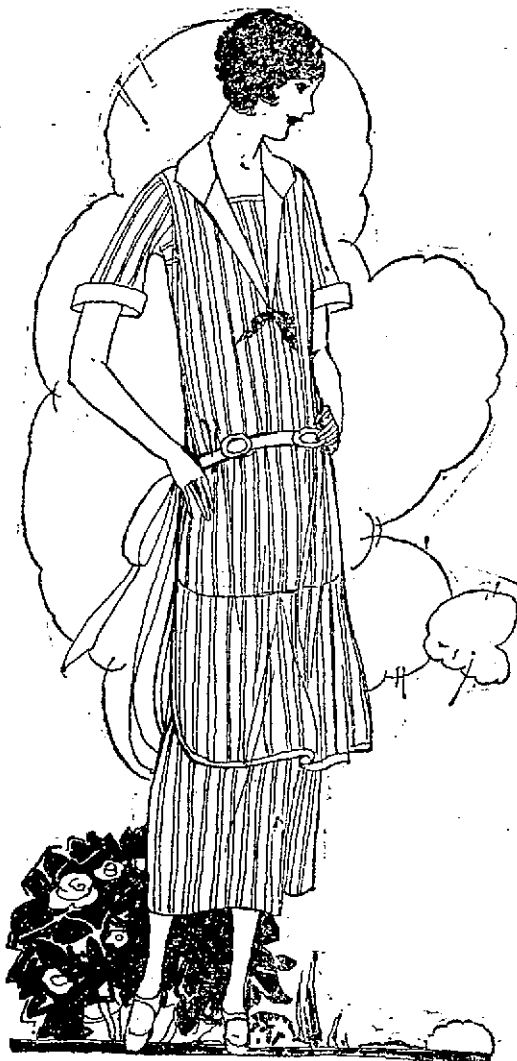
Only a few critics thought that Yale, or any other Eastern team, would win from the strong Stanford team at Cambridge and the same high regard of the far western entry in the intercollegiate rowing

championship was followed in the early predictions.

Another victory was marked up for the East yesterday when Princeton defeated the Arizona Polo team by a score of 8 to 0 and won the Intercollegiate championship.

Considering the handicap that the Arizona players had in making the long trip, the result of the match was not the disaster that the score would indicate.

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